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home was caught in a violent storm. She lost her way and wandered about the fields all night, Fright and exposure brought on melancholia, to which the woman is still subject. When the woman saw little Lixue at the hospital she could recognize no resemblance to her lost child. A picture of the child at the Post-Dispatch office, taken when she was about 4 years old, is strikingly like her baby, she claims. COSETTE'S ROOM

IN FAIRY-LAND.

A Visitor at the Hospital Thinks Lizzie Is Her Daughter and Will Investigate.

Little Cosette's room at the City Hospital was a bower of red roses Thursday morn-She had asked for two and hundreds were sent. The fragrant blossoms com-menced to arrive within two hours after menced to arrive within two hours after her wish had been expressed through the Post-Dispatch Wednesday afternoon and boxes filled with blossoms were delivered until late at night. Others were received Thursday morning. There were so many that the house physician thought it not advisable to have them all in the small room which the child suicide shares with another patient, so after the little one had inspected her floral gifts a selection was made and the others placed on ice for preservation. The kind-hearted nurses arranged some of the flowers on a large table, completely covering it, and bunches of roses were festooned with smilax on the screen that is placed around the child's bed. Between the red petals on the table could be seen they relievely of oranges, for enough of the "MOTUING PIIT MEN"

He is afflicted with a peculiar delusion. He was on his cot in the observation ward when the part called him to the wicket to tak to a reporter.

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One of the attendants went to his bed and assisted him to arise. He shambled across the floor, a very lively corpse.

"Oh, yes, I am quite dead," he continued. "Tve been dead ever since last Monday, My wife and child are also dead—just like I am. I do not know how long they have been bedoned and the red petals on the table could be seen they lively corpse.

"MOTUBE PIT MEN" Thursday morning. There were so many

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bin an Anti-Suffragist.

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Lizzie's appeal had touched her heart as well, and she brought fruit and flowers as a peace offering.

"I have asked the doctors when I can take Lizzie home," she said to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "You want to go, don't you, dear?" she added, turning to the child.

The little one hesitated a moment, then nodded, but a shudder gave a negative to the signal of acquiescence.

"And what did the doctors, say?" Mrs. Kettle was asked.

"They will not tell when I can move her. But I can't see why it cannot be done at once. I have an excellent physician and she could be carefully moved."

The anxiety of Mrs. Kettle to recover possession of the child puzzies the hospital officials. The house physician says she cannot, of course, be moved at present, for such a step would prove fatal. The little one is receiving the best of attention where she is, and now seems perfectly contented—when Mrs. Kettle is not by her side—with her nurse. It is only when Mme. Jondrette so nt the scene that Cosette becomes nervous.

"Has Lizzie told you all she suffered at the home of her mother by adoption?" a Burse asked a Post-Dispatch reporter Thursday.

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"She has told me," the nurse went on. "I have frequently talked with her during wakeful spells at night and from her story life at the Kettle home was a sorry one. I do not think Lizzle wants to go back; in fact, I believe she fears to return, but the woman exerts some influence over the child-call it mesmerism if you like-that compistely controls her, and Lizzle yields to her every wish when she is present.

You Can't Think of a Thing That P.-D. Wants Won't Buy or Sell.

RAILWAY CONTEST.

LITTLE SUICIDE IS BETTER. Fight Between J. Pierpont Morgan and North Carolina, Carlisle as Morgan's Counsel.

> Special to the Post-Dispatch.
> RALEIGH, N. C., March 11.—John G. Carlisle, former Secretary of the Treasury, has become one of the legal advisers of J. Pierpont Morgan, the head of the famous bond

syndicate. Mr. Carlisle made his first appearance in count here as Mr. Morgan's counsel. The case was before United States Judge Si-monton on an application of the Southern Railway Company for an injunction against Gov. Russell and the people of North Carolina, who are trying to sell the

"NOTHING BUT MEN."

Miss Anthony's Taunt Made Mrs. Corbin an Anti-Suffragist.

ONE SAYS HE'S DEAD AND THE OTHER SEES A GHOST.

LIVE ON THE SAME STREET.

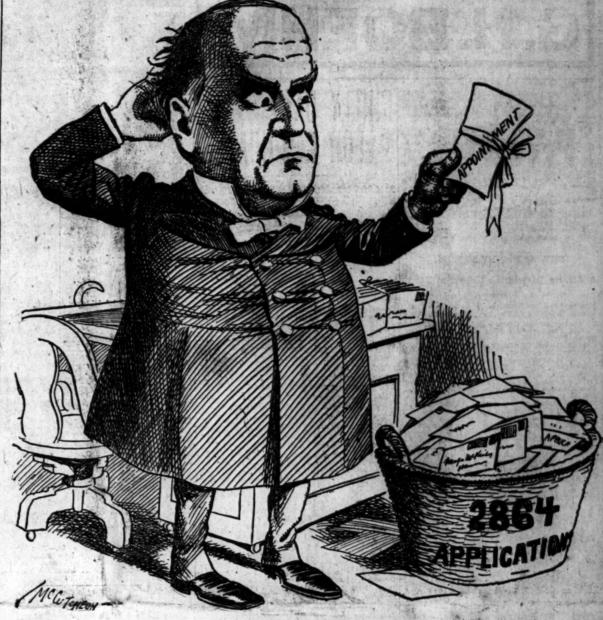
Remarkable Delusions of Charles Den ner and John Murphy, Who Went Daft Simultaneously.

Charles Denner lives at 4240 St. Ferdinand street. John Murphy lives at 8909, the same street. Both were sent to the City Hosdition at almost the same hour Wednesda

Denner is 34 years old, has a wife and a 7-year-old daughter, and is a cigarmaker. He is afflicted with a peculiar delusion. He

particular note. I used to drink considera-ble whisky and it may be that caused me John Murphy is 40 years old, single, laborer, and lives with his mother. Murphy

been dead. I never had any trouble of an



PRESIDENT McKINLEY (PUZZLED)—"NOW, HOW CAN I AVOID DISAPPOINTING SOME ONE?"

LITTLE GIRL;

FELL IN HYSTERICS WHEN DRAG-GED TO THE STATION.

SHE BROKE A PANE OF GLASS.

Sergt. Trojanowski Treated Her as Roughly as If She Was a Common Criminal.

A fair-haired, frail little girl, pale and trembling and hardly tall enough to see the big sergeant who looked down at her from behind the big desk was a prisoner at the Fourth District Police Station Wednesday

The little girl had committed a heinous As she stood before the counter Sergt. Projanowski held her by the wrist as firm-

ly as if she had been the most hardened criminal in the bloody Fourth. The Sergeant had written her name or the blotter and was about to order her taken back to a cell, when the child became hysterical. She cried wildly for her mamma and then sank unconscious to the floor. She was taken to the Dispesary a "prisoner." There the doctor worked with her half an hour. They pronounced her suffering from the fright caused by her arrest. In the custody of a policeman she was taken back to

the station and kept there half an hour be fore being released.

The girl whom the police so cleverly captured in the act of breaking a 25-cent pane of glass was Annie Rice. She lives with her parents at 1214 North Seventh street. She is 11 years old and small for her age She was still nervous Thursday morning when she told the story of her arrest. She thought at first that the reporter was from the Police Station and crouched back

in a corner and begged him not to arrest

When reassured she told her story in When reassured she told her story in a straightforward way.

She said she was on her way home from Union Market about 6 o'clock Wednesday evening when a crowd of boys set upon her and began pulling her hair and calling her names. One of the boys was the son of Mrs. Hill who keeps a restaurant at 1125 North Broadway. The Hill boy, she said, pulled her hair and hit her with a rope. Then he ran in the restaurant.

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"I got so mad I didn't know what I was doing," said Annie. "I took a potat, out of my basket and was going to throw it through the window when Mrs. Hill came out and slapped me. When she went in I threw the potato through the glass door.

"A big man got hold of me and held me until a segment came. Then they took me "A big man got hold of me and held me until a sergeant came. Then they took me to the station. Mrs. Hill said she wanted me locked up. I got so badly seared I couldn't get my breath. They took me some place where there were a lot of doctors and then brought me back to the station. Papa came in and wanted to talk to me, but the

and the other man pulled my hair."

Capt. Peter Joyce, when asked about Annie's arrest Thursday morning, said: "We had no such case here at all. It must be a mistake." He was finally induced to look up the records and found Sergt. Trojan-owski's report on the arrest of the child. "How old was this girl?" he asked Sergt

"I wouldn't have molested her at all 'if I had been there," said the captain. When told of the little girl's charge that Sergt. Trojanowski had pulled her hair Capt. Joyce said he would investigate.

FIRE BUG SENTENCED. Harry Clark Given Five Years by

Judge Zachritz. Harry Clark was charged with arson to the first degree Thursday. He pleaded guilty to arson in the second degree and was given a five years' penitentiary sen-

tence by Judge Zachritz.
On Jan. 11 Clark set fire to the property crime. She had thrown a potato through at 1415 Market street, occupied by Memphis an eating-house window at Broadway and Harvey, colored, as a rooming house.

THE WEATHER FORECAST.



THUNDER STORMS.

The Weather Bureau forecasts are

big man behind the desk told him to get IN PHYSICAL AND out. MENTAL DARKNESS

SAD FATE OF HANDSOME IDA

King sharply.

"About 11, but was a tough little thing." WAS A PROMISING MUSICIAN.

handsome, is one of the most sorely afflict-ed persons in the City Hospital. She is totally blind, but one would never

She is totally blind, but one would never suspect it to look into her eyes. They are large and blue, and while they have a rather set expression do not show that they have not seen a thing for more than ten years. The girl's reason has also left her, and she sits on her cot, silent save when spoken to and pensive always.

Ida lives with her mother at 220 Madison street. Recently her mental condition became such that her mother was forced to send her to the hospital. She has an elder brother who is confined in the insane asylum.

Shortly after the reporter had a mysterious woman, heavily lum.

lum.

When Ida was 14 years old she had typhold fever. For days she hovered between life and death, but her robust constitution saved her life. As she began regaining strength her sight grew dim, and when fully recovered from the fever she was blind. Her father placed her in the blind asylum. Her intellect was unimpaired and she learned rapidly. She took a great interest in music. She mastered the plano, and her voice attracted a great deal of attention. She appeared in public and gained great favor.

great favor.

Four years ago her father died. Four years ago her father died. Her grief was most intense, and from that time her mind began to fail. She lost interest in her music and everything else. She was never violent, but would sit for hours without uttering a word. Recently she became worse, and would talk in a rambling manner. Dr. Sutter says she is threatened with softening of the brain, and he thinks she will never recover.

KILLED 180 WORKMEN.

TANGIER, Morocco, March 11.—By the collapse of part of the old walls of the town of Fez. 180 workmen have been killed.

BURIAL PERMITS.

The following deaths have been re-orted in the city during the twenty-four

FRANCES FREI, St. 1100 S. 6th; pas

MARTIN CANNOT LOCATE HIMSELF.

STORY OF THE MYSTERIOUS PA-TIENT AT THE HOSPITAL.

HIS MEMORY IS SHADOWY.

Mysterious Veiled Woman Called to See Him, but Claimed Not to

MAN AND MONEY GONE.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Murch it., Pierce, chief accumtant and cash he Reading Railroad Co.'s business

POST-OFFICE ROBBED.

FOR A LICENSE

LANCASTER'S BILL ENGROSSED IN THE SENATE.

IT HAD A STIFF STRUGGLE

Amended Before It Went Through by Substituting Three for Five Per Cent Fees.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11.—The Lancaster bill providing for the creation of the office of License Commissioner in St. Louis and Kansas City was the subject of spirited discussion in the Senate this morning. The bill came up in regular or-der for passage.

Senator Mott spoke in opposition. He declared that the fees were entirely too high. He spoke of it as a medium of indirect tax-ation, which he characterized as being just as bad as direct taxation. In conclusion, Senator Mott appealed to the Senators to

Senatur Morton said there should be no objection to the creation of the office of License Commissioner, although he was of License Commissioner, although he was of the opinion that the rate of compensation was too high. "But let us pass the bill as it stands," said the Senator, "and the House can make the change."

Senator Gray made one of the warmest speeches of all. He said a certain St. Louis paper had characterized the bill as "high-way robbery." and he thought that to a certain extent the appellation was not ill-timed. Senator Gray said he would vote for the bill if the commission of 5 per cent be reduced.

During Senator Gray's speech he was frequently interrogated by Senator Lancaster, author of the bill.

Senator Gray said that the fees at 5 per cent as contemplated by the bill would make an aggregate compensation of no less than \$50,000.

Senator Lancaster did not concur in this sestimate.

Senator Lancaster did not concur in this estimate. Senator Davisson, Republican, from the rural districts of Harrison County, chipped in frequently. He wanted the bill referred back to the committee, which action. Senator Lancaster said, would kill the bill. Finally Senator Gray offered an amendment cutting the fees to 3 per cent instead of 5 per cent as provided for originally. Senator Lancaster agreed to this amendment. Then there was more speechmaking. Senator Schweickardt favored the bill except that he wanted the Mayor instead of the Governor to make the appointment. At last the bill in its amended 3 per cent form was ordered to engrossment.

HOUSE WIGGLED OUT.

But It Was in a Tight Place for Awhile.

the Post-Dispatch. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11 .- An interesting story is told in connection with on for adjournment which was oduced in the House, fixing the date for March 20, and which was afterward amended to March 19, brief mention of which was made in the Post-Dispatch yesamended to March 19, brief mention of which was made in the Post-Dispatch yesterday. Representative Collins, who introduced the resolution, is conceded to be one of the most honest and conscientious members of the House, and would under no circumstances be a party to any lobby scheme. Yet the fact remains that it is a fond hope of the lobby—the ever present lobby—to bring about adjournment as early as possible, in order to prevent the bare possibility of the Senate passing some of the anti-corporation measures receptly sent over to that body by the House, Many of the House members, being unaware of this scheme, are favoring early adjournment simply because they are tired and want to go home. It is possible that some of the others who are possessed of inside information are not averse to alding the lobby. So much for the status of affairs. Now for the story:

The House was caught napping and the resolution was adopted before it dawned upon the author of the resolution and other honest members that they were pleasing the lobby by their action. The true situation was soon grasped, however, and Speaker Farris sent a note over to the Senate, to which body the resolution had been sent, asking that it be recalled. Objection was urged, and the request of the Speaker was not granted. This action was regarded as rather unusual and Representative Hail hastily introduced a resolution calling for the return of the adjournment resolution. This brought the matter to a vote in the Senate. All of the Democrats except Senators Goodykoonts and Lyons, voted to grant the House request. The Republicans voted solidly with Goodykoonts except Senators Goodykoonts and Lyons, voted to grant the House request. The Republicans voted solidly with Goodykoonts and Lyons. The majority, however, was in favor of allowing the recall of the resolution, and it was sent back to the House. There it was reconsidered, and thus the There it was reconsidered, and thus the matter rests.

As a matter of fact, there is but little danger of the Senate passing any of the more imporatnt bills that are now pending, because the Missouri State Senate, as a whole, is not constructed upon that plan of architecture. Yet, if the House could only be made to assume the responsibility of early adjournment, the Senate could si'de out easily enough and point to what might have been, had the House not urged adjournment. adjournment.
Should it so happen that the Senate takes a turn in a different direction from former sessions and decides to pass the important bills now pending, there is yet opportunity enough before the time for adjournment as fixed by the Collins resolution.

THE VETO SUSTAINED.

The Hanging Bill Dead for the Present at Least.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11.—Not for many a day has there been such an animated scene as that which occurred in the Senate chamber yesterday afternoon. It came about through the consideration of the Governor's veto of the Peers "hanging" bill, mention of which was made in the Post-Dispatch yesterday.

The Senate sustained the veto for the reason that there was not a two-thirds vote against it. The vote stood as follows: For passing the bill, notwithstanding the veto—Anderson, Brewster, Burkhead, Busche, Davisson, Goodykoonts, Gray, Klene, Madison, Martin, Matthews, Morton, Mott, O'Bannon, Grchard, Peers, Powers, Schweickardt, Seaber, Wells, Williams—II. For sustaining the veto—Ballard, Childers, Drum, Hohenschild, Lancaster, Lyons, McClintic, Major, Miller, Vandiver, Young, Marshall—12.

Absent from the city—Landrum. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11 .- Not

BOEHMER'S LOW PRICES ALWAYS KEEP BOEHMER'S CROWDED.

We Place on Sale To-Morrow

1,000 pairs Ladies' New Spring Styles Ma-hogany and Checolate Tan Lace Shoes, sizes 2½ to 7, AA to E, cut from choice vici kid, hand turn,

Compare them with \$4.00 shoes and you will appreciate their value.

1,000 pairs Men's Oxblood and Chocolate Tans, new spring styles, made in Bull Dog and Coin toes, all sizes, 6 to 11, AAA to E

Compare them with regular \$5.00 shoes and you will appreciate their value.



momentum would probably have been great enough to cause a personal disturbance. Much feeling was wrought up, and it is seldon that there is more suppressed excitement in a legislative body. And at times, it was not so very well suppressed, either. Senator Peers and some of his close friends were busy last night, and it is understood that an effort is being made to have the vote by which the veto was sustained reconsidered. Senator Landrum will be back to the Senate chamber soon, and he is regarded as one of the firm supporters of the Peers bill. Then if one other Senator can be won over, the necessary two-thirds vote will be complete.

The people of Jefferson City are greatly aroused, and if the movement to reconsider the vote materialises, which now appears reasonably certain, there will probably be a sensation of no diminutive proportions.

THE APPROPRIATIONS.

A Strong Disposition Shown to Econ-

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11.-The

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11.—The general appropriation bill for the support of the State government was discussed at great length in the House this morning. The bill was discussed section by section. The first important feature was the reduction of 4,000 for contingent expenses of the Governor's office. This item was cut to \$2,000. The \$1,200 allowed for the hire of a clerk was also stricken out. This movement was brought about by Dr. Tubbs, who declared that so long as the Governor has a private secretary and stenographer there is no occasion for employing a clerk.

Another item in the bill which provoked a heated argument was the \$7,500 for refurnishing the Governor's mansion. Representative Whitecotton offered an amendment cutting the \$7,500 entirely out. This brought Representative Crisp to his feet with a hot speech, in which he argued against the Whitecotton amendment. Col. Crisp characterised the members favoring retrenchment as "Democratic dung-hill roosters".

retrementary of the conservative members.

Other language along this line aroused the ire of the more conservative members.

Representative Whitecotton replied to Col. Crisp in a most vigorous speech, in which he openly insinuated that such a legislator should be retired to private life. He did not mention the name of Col. Crisp, but it was plainly understood. In conclusion, Mr. Whitecotton withdrew his amendment.

BEER INSPECTION BILL.

It Was Called Up in the Senate and Referred. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11 .- The

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11.—The Ryder beer inspection bill, which passed the House yesterday, was called up in the Senate this morning and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Senators Goodykoonts and Madison made an effort to have the bill referred to the Committee on Roads and Highways. With this committee it might have met with favorable action. It is probable, however, that the Judiciary Committee will kill the bill.

Normal Certificates.

Special to the Post Dispatch. Special to the Fost Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11.—At
the night session the bill contemplating
the nullification of teachers' certificates issued by normal schools was called up. After
a spirited debate a vote was taken, and
the bill failed of passage.

Concerns Johnson County.

JEFFFRSON CITY, Mo., March 11.—A bill having for its object the elimination of Johnson County from the Criminal Court district now composed of the counties of Johnson, Lafayette and Saline, for the purpose of saving costs, and to reduce the number of terms of court held in Johnson County from six to four, has passed the House.

Publication of Laws.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11.—Repessentative Bittinger has introduced a bill by request authorizing the publication of the laws passed by the General Assembly, in one paper in each county.

Better Salaries.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11.—Representative Johnston's bill authorizing the county court of the County of St. Louis to give the Circuit Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of the Ninth Judicial Circuit additional compensation—to the former \$125 per month—has passed the House. This is strictly a St. Louis county bill and attracted but little attention from members representing other portions of the State.

Wilson Creek Reunion.

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JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March II.—Maj.

Jefferson City visitor. Maj. Elidridge is here in the interests of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wilself Course of the project to hold a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Wils

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 11.—The
Horseshoers' bill was again reported unfavorably this morning by the House Committee on Labor. An effort will be made to
have the bill referred to another committee.

No Perpetual Licenses.

Sunday Base Ball.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., A
ator Orchard's bill providing
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the Senate this morning.

MISSOURIANS TURN THEIR FACES SADLY WESTWARD.

OFFICES IN SIGHT ARE FEW

Kerens and Filley Are Not in Reach of Compromise and the View Is Gloomy.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, D.C., March 11,—Presiden McKinley is giving the office-seekers the frozen face. Since his installation in the White House his "backbone" has been wonderfully strengthened. He declines to be taken off his feet by the grand rush, and when the hungry followers of the yellow flag point beseeching fingers at the fruitful plum tree and asks for the overripe frui he asks them in a cold Cantonesqu if their mothers know they are out and why

they don't run along home.

There will be no appointments now unti the extraordinary session of the Fiftyfifth Congress convenes next Monday, and
then the places will be filled slowly. The
advance agent of prosperity intends to give
no free passes to his show; there are to be
few stars in the play, no "understudies"
and few supes.

That's the size of it, and it strikes the
Western Republicans right between the
eyes. Missouri will not be in it for some
time to come. Webster Davis is the only
Missourian likely to get anything good soon,
and his prospective good luck is dependent
on whether or not Maj. Warner will accept
a subordinate place in the Interior Department. the extraordinary session of the Fifty-

nent.

The Missouri Republicans are at logger heads. Kerens and his forces are unable the Missouri Republicans are at logger-heads. Kerens and his forces are unable to agree upon a compromise with the Filley-ites. The voracious demands for public pap for themselves made by the ex-Repub-lican members from Missouri has robbed them of any prestige at the White House. It is a mix-up generally for Missouri, with nothing good in sight for anybody.

BAILEY IN THE LEAD.

He Will Probably Be Chosen Minority Leader.

ial to the Post-Dispatch. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 11.—Congressman Joseph W. Bailey of Texas is likely to get a majority of the votes of the Democratic Congressmen from Missouri in Democratic Congressmen from Missouri in the minority caucus for Speaker. The announcement of Mr. Bland that he did not intend to enter the race, preferring to perform his service as a member on the floor, has given Mr. Balley a boost. The Missourians recall how manfully he fought for Mr. Bland in the Texas State convention last year and was for him at Chicago until the last. The solid vote of Texas was for the big Missourian for President, and the work of Mr. Balley in that connection is now gratefully remembered by more than one

the last. The solid vote of Texas was for the big Missourian for President, and the Wissourian for President, and the work of Mr. Bailey in that connection is now gratefully remembered by more than one member from Missouri. The Missourians have decided to meet Saturday morning in informal conference, prior to going into the Democratic caucus, called for 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. While no action has been taken yet, it looks as though the eloquent young Texan would receive a majority of Missouri's twelve Democratic votes. Both McMillan and Mr. Richardson have strong friends in the delegation, but Mr. Balley seems likely to capture the plum.

SETTLING DOWN.

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The President Not Having So Many Visitors.

WASHINGTON, March II.—Affairs at the White House are fast assuming their normal aspect and there is a marked falling-off of the crowds of public men and of the general visitor. There was comparative quiet to-day in Secretary Porter's office, and in the ante-room, so that the President was able to give considerable time to public business. The Congressional callers are during the first few days.

Among the callers were: Senators Morrill of Vermont, Chairman of the Finance Committee: Cullom and Mason of Illinois, Blatt of Connecticut, White of Cailfornia, Spooner of Wisconsin, Stewart of Novada, Clarke and Warren of Wyoming, and Representatives Lacey of Iowa and Catchings of Mississippi.

Applicants for Jobs.

WASHINGTON, March II.—Additional applicants for Jobs.

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WASHINGTON, March II.—Additional applications for appointment to presidential offices in the Treasury Department have been made as follows:

T. T. Allen of New York, as Auditor for the Navy Department.

W. W. Bates of Illinois, Commissioner of Navigation.

Hood's

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Old Bob Pepper | EGGS, Fresh Receipts. Per Doz 10c Whisky.

Per Gal ... \$2.00 CONCORD WINE, Per Gal. 50c

Oscar Pepper, 6 Years Old,

Alaska Salmon, fine fish, 1-lb. can 7%c Dried Peaches, California white, per lb 80 Condensed Milk, "Gold Medal," per can 70 Rising Sun Yeast Powder, high grade, 1-lb. can -.....25c Mackerel, white and fat.................50 WRITE FOR CATALOGUE,

Holland Herring, Milchner, per doz 250

Representatives in Congress from 10 to 12 o'clock on all days except Cabinet days. Persons not Senators or Representatives having business with the President will be received from 12 to 1 o'clock every day except Cabinet days.

Those having no business, but who desire to pay their respects, will be received by the President in the east room at 3 o'clock p. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

These rules are substantially the same as those of the last Administration, except that Mr. McKinley does not reserve Monday to himself and changes the hour of public receptions from 1 to 3 p. m.

Call on National Banks

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The Comptroller of the Currency has made a call on national banks for a report on their condition at the close of business Tuesday, March 9.

TWO LITTLE ORPHANS. Their Father Was Murdered and Their Mother Eloped.

There are two little boys in the Chrisian Orphans' Home, on Aubert avenue who, when they grow to be men and understand the wickedness of the world, will look back on a chapter in their lives just

Special to the Post-Dispatch. KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 11.—Judge Gill, of the Kansas City Court of Appeals, decided to-day that the Lower House of the Legislature had power to punish for con-tempt a person who refused to answer the questions of a legislative committee sent out to investigate. The decision was made in the case of F. M. Lowe, Criminal Prosecut-

the Navy Department.

W. W. Bates of Illinois, Commissioner of Navigation.

William Odlin of Massachusetts, Assistant Secretary.

John H. Keatley, Assistant Secretary.

W. B. Howell of New Jersey, Assistant Secretary.

T. T. Rockwood of New York, Assistant Secretary.

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A. R. McLean of New York, Assistant Secretary.

M. M. Garland of Pennsylvania, Commissioner of Immigration.

White House Rules.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March II.—The following general rules have been decided on concerning the reception of public men and callers generally:

The Cabinet will meet Tuesdays and Fridays at 11 o'clock a. m.

The President will receive Senators and The President will receive Senators and The President will receive Senators and The Prosecutor Lowe will go to Judge Gill for release on a writ of habeas corpus, on the ground that the House was a governing body and only judicial bodies had power to punish for contempt.

Prosecutor Lowe will go to Jefferson City to-day and apply to the Supreme Court for release on a writ of habeas corpus.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, /Mo., March 11.—
Senator Lancaster's bill to yest the appointive power of the St. Louis Board of Equalization with the Mayor instead of Equalization with the Mayor instead of

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nexternan, The Picture Framer.

CRESPO'S MESSAGE.

Approved the Venezuelan Treaty and Referred to the United States' "Friendly Responsibility."

WASHINGTON, March 11.-The text of the message to the Venezuelan Congress of President Crespo, which has just reached this country, shows that the subject of the closed with a sadness they can never forget.

There will come to them a faint memory of deeds of blood and shame, with the vague outlines of the picture made stern and harsh by the stories which will be told them. them.

These boys' names are James and Charles Mead. The legacy which has been left them is that of murder and adultery.

They arrived in St. Louis March S from Fredonia, Kan., whence they had been sent by kindly, but poor, relatives.

Up to last April their home was in Denver, Colo. Their father, James Mead, was a railroad man. He lived with his wife and two children as contentedly as most honest men do who work hard for a living.

His position kept him occupied at night and his wife, who was a frivolum worth. arrangement. However, in deference to the kindly interest shown by the United States in this matter, he indorsed the treaty and pressed it upon the attention of the Venezueian Congress to the exclusion of

all other business.

He closes with these significant words:
"The plan of settlement was presented for the consideration of Venesuela with no proposition for co-operative participation, contrary to the sovereignty and independence of the Republic; further, as the United States had conducted the negotiations according to their judgment alone, the definite acceptance of the basis will always involve for them a sort of friendly responsibility which will be in every case a guarantee of future harmony between the two nations represented by the arbitral tribunal. It is eminently just to recognise the fact that the great republic has strenuously endeavored to conduct this matter in the most favorable way and the result obtained represents an effort of intelligence and good will, worthy of praise and thanks from us who are so intimately acquainted with the conditions of this most complicated question." all other business.

ARKANSAS TANGLE.

The Legislature Adjourned Without Providing Appropriations.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 11.—The Legislature adjourned sine die at noon to-Legislature adjourned sine die at noon today without having passed any of the appropriation bills for the Executive and Judicial departments of the State Government
and the various charitable and educational
institutions. The Senate, as has been the
custom since the framing of the present
Constitution, refused to elect a President
pro tam, leaving the State without a successor to Gov. Jones in case of accident
or death. The upper branch of the Assembly is responsible for the failure to
pass the appropriation bills, as the Senators
positively refused to extend the session,
The Governor will be compelled to call an
extra session.

STEEL RAILS FOR JAPAN.

First Cargo Being Loaded at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 11,-The PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 11.—The first carge of steel rails from this country for Japan is now being loaded on the British steamer Fortuna, Philadelphia & Reading Railroad coal wharves, together with a large consignment of locomotives built in the city and intended for Japan. Three other steamers have been chartered to carry engines and rails from this port to Japan. The tonnage consigned to the Fortuna consists of 2,000 tons of rails and 2,000 cons of locomotives and equipments.

Call up Williamson for Suns. Phone 363, 210 North Seventh street. A Vegetable Puzzle.

P. M. Kiely, the Third street commission man, received a consignment from New Orlenas Thursday of something in the vegetable world which pursles the dealers and gardeners to name. Mr. Kiely will wait advices the dealers and gardeners to name.

Early Spring Bargains in Reliable Dry Goods

Glove News.

Basement —12% Percale 5e Yard. staple and fancy—in remnants of 4 to 10 yards, sold everywhere at 10c and 124c, but to advertise us.

50

Linens —63 Inch Damask 35c Yard. All-Linen 68-in Bleached Damask, ... 350 never sold less than 50c yd, Friday ... 350

HOSIERY.
Children's Seamless Fast Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, the solid wearing kind, 6 to 94; pair.. 76 Black Goods. Economical buyers know where to find genuine BARCAINS.

40-inch Black English Mohair Jacquards, worth 40c, Friday, yard . 190

Jacquards, worth &c. 290 as-inch All-Wool German Lizzard Crepon, worth &c yd, Friday, yard... 290 Silks! Silks!!

Colored Dress Goods.

Under Muslin Bargain.

BLACK MOHAIR BROCADE SKIR

TION DEPARTMENT.

odd lot Men's All-mit flows, dark colors, 2c goods, to clean up.

NEW LADIES' SKIRTS

HANDKERCHIEFS Sergate Fabric.

CHOICE VECETABLES

Depend upon the quality of your

THE GREAT BARGAIN BRY GOODS CORNER—"-W.S.S.F. BROADWA"

BEAUTIFUL LAWNS P. S. Co.'s Evergreen Lawn Grass Mixture

Odorless Fertilizers.

814 NORTH FOURTH ST.

SEEDS. It will pay you well to CET THE BEST. SEED CO.

Special...

New Consignment of Women's Goods Just Received and to be Placed on Sale

Mahogany and Black. New Coin, London and Razor Toes. The Very Latest Styles and "Best Shoe on Earth" for \$2.00.

Hanan & DeMuth, BROADWAY AND ST. CHARLES.

POST-DISPATCH THERMOMETER

BABY BLEMISHES "TOTAL SELL"



DEATHS.

BAKER—On Tuesday, March 9th, at 7:30 p.
m., Lee Baker, beloved husband of Kate
Baker and our dear father, after a
lingering illness, at the age of 6 years.
The funeral will take place on Friday,
March 12, at 3 o'clock p. m., from family residence, No. 5112 North Sixth street,
to St. Patrick's Church, themes to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to
attend.

GALLAGHER-On the 8th inst., o'clock midnight, John Gallagher 41 years, beloved husband of Mass

Gallagher.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his brother. St. Ferdis nand avenue, on Friday, the lith list-at 2 p. m. to the Church of the Visitation, thence to Calvary Cameter. Friends of the family invited to attend.

New York and New Orients paper please copy. RUENENFELDER-B

neral from Chas. F. Rergesch's aking rooms, ide North Sixth at ay. March 12, at 2 p. m. Dece a member of Damon Leign.

OBITUARY.

DANGER OF WAR

PUBLIC OPINION CHANGES THE CRETAN SITUATION.

FRANCE NOTIFIES

Why the Republic Cannot Join the Czar in Severe Measures

Against Greece.

NEW YORK, March 11.-The Sun has the following cable this morning from London: The danger of war in the East has decidedly diminished for the time being. The situation has been completely changed by public opinion in Western Europe. The French Government has been compelled to give notice, rejuctantly, to its Russian alies that it cannot john in any vindictive or seyere measures against Greece while public in France remains as it now is.

Lord Salisbury would gladly give a similar notice, but it would be received only with suspicion and resentment. It is quite different as regards France. Russia knows the French officials would gladly join them, but they dare not in face of the opposition of Parliament and the masses of the French people. The most they can do is to request delay until an opportunity is given to change or amend the popular mind. Great efforts are to be made in this direction between now and Saturday, when the question will

be debated in the French Chamber. The indications grow stronger that it will no longer be possible to secure a unanimous vote of the powers in favor of Greece's coercion. This, of course, means more delay, more uncertainty, and continued impotence, if not the dissolution of the concert of Europe. It means also new dangers and great ones, which already have alarmed the Government, but not the people of this coun-

Orders were received at the Portsmouth ployed three to four hours overtime daily,



A CRETAN PEASANT.

and solely upon vessels which are nearly ready for sea. Several more warships have been ordered from the coast of Africa and been ordered from the coast of Africa and other points to the Mediterranean and to the Channel fleet, that has been kept at Gibraltar. The first army corps received secretary foreign service. So, although the outlook has improved from the standpoint of Greece and Crete, it has become somewhat danous in other directions, and Great Britain is preparing for all eventuality

There is reason to believe that the new turn in affairs causes great discomfiture at St. Petersburg and Berlin. Russia has received the first great check to her plans

A PLAGUE OF THE NIGHT.

ITCHING PILES AND OTHER REC-TAL TROUBLES EASILY CURED BY A NEW AND SAFE METHOD.

A Remarkable Number of Cures Made by the Pyramid Pile Cure.

About one person in every four suffers from some form of rectal disease. The most common and annoying is itching piles, indicated by warmth, slight moisture and intense, uncontrollable itching in the parts affected.

The usual treatment has been some simple ointment or salve which sometimes give temporary relief, but nothing like a permanent cure can be expected from such

permanent cure can be expected from such superficial treatment.

The only permanent cure for itching piles yet discovered is the Pyramid Pile Cure, not only for itching piles, but for every other form of piles, blind, bleeding or protruding. The first application gives instant relief and the continued use for a short time causes a permanent removal of short time causes a permanent removal of the tumors or the small parasites which cause the intense itching and discomfort of itching siles.

Many physicians for a long time sup-posed that the remarkable relief afforded by the Pyramid Pile Cure was because t was supposed to contain cocaine, opium or similar drugs, but such is not the case.

A recent careful analysis of the remedy showed it to be absolutely free from any pocaine, opium or in feet and the contained of the contained or in feet and the c

showed it to be absolutely free from any cocaine, opium, or in fact any poisonous, injurious drugs whatever.

For this reason the Pyramid Pile Cure is probably the only pile cure extensively recommended by physicians, because it is so safe, so prompt in the relief afforded and so far as known the only positive cure for piles except a surgical operation.

In one year the Pyramid Pile Cure has become the best known, the safest and the most extensively sold of any pile cure before the public.

Nearly all druggists now sell is as 50.

The foreign admirals, at a conference with

Nearly all druggists now sell it at 80 cents and \$1 per package.

Address the Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich., for book on cause and cure of piles and also hundreds of testimonials from all parts of the United States.

If suffering from any form of piles ask your druggist for a package of Pyramid Pile Cure and try it to-night. The foreign admirals, at a conference with the insurgent leaders at Akrotiri, yesterday, also learned that Commodore Rejneck never imparted to the latter the proclamation of the Admirals forbidding them to attack the towns, although he had accepted a commission to do so.

It is thought possible that some concession will be made to Greece, but only after that country has made complete submission to the demands of the Yowers.

128 pieces - in all - some Bengalines and Surahs, also Japanese Silks-amongst the lot you will find Blacks, Black and White, some colors (not every color), but all desirable; prices were up to 75c per yd. for some,

others less, on

Friday all will be

5c Crochet Cotton. 20c Dress Goods.

123/20 Rustle Linings. worth 1236c.

WRITE FOR OUR NEW CATALOGUE-MAILED

HOLDE

The glorious weather of this week has nearly swept away this Creat Stock. We had reserved some of the very best merchandise to fill in regular lines, but the people clamor ****** for it so, we put all on Sale FRIDAY, which will be the LAST CHANCE.

Bankrupt Dress Goods. Some of the best things of the them on every side at twice our prices. You will see DRESS 100 pieces two-toned fabrics, choice spring colorings, worth 25c,
Bankrupt Sale Price...... 132c DRESS Cheviots and Checks, in a full assortment of colorings, worth 40c, Bankrupt Sale Price. **2**5c DRESS 55 pieces Silk and Wool French Novelties. 39c

DRESS 43 pieces 44-inch wide Ail-Wool Mohair Cheviots, in beautiful little mixtures and figures, were 75c, Bankrupt Sale Price Bankrupt Stock. Every yard the very best of the gradefully up to goods held by importers at

BLACK **♦ DRESS COODS** BLACK DRESS COODS

20 pieces 36-inch Blue Black Mohair Serge, in wide wale, Brooklyn price 25c, Bankrupt Sale Price..... 11 pleces 50-inch Black Mohair Sicilians or Gros Grain Mohair, rich luster, Brooklyn price 65c, Bankrupt Sale Price 40 pieces 46-Inch All Pure Wool French Serges, in fine and wide wales, in jet black and blue black, 6 yards a full dress pattern, Brooklyn price 50c, Bankrupt Sale Price

White Goods.

Hosiery.

Notions. 5c Card Nursery Pins, one dozen on card..... 7c 100-yard Spool Black Sewing Silk.... 2c 1c • 5c Cake Toilet 5c • 5c • 1c • 1c • Tooth Brushes.... ic Package (25) c 200-yard Spool Machine Paper American

Bankrupt Kid Gloves. All choice in grade and color, perfect in cut-just as we rep-

made Lisle Thread Hose, Richelieu Ribb, with spliced heels and toes, worth 40c a pair, Bankrupt Sale Price. 25c Bankrupt Sale Price 25c, Bankrupt

Bankrupt Stock. All this season's manufacture not a piece of old stock. Bankrupt Embroideries. 83 dozen Children's Drawers, superior muslin, worked buttonholes, hem and cluster tuck; worth 20c A great part of this stock is this sesson's importation. You will see them in other houses at double the price.

One Big Bargain Table of Embroideries containing 4 lots of Remnants.

Lot 1. 5,000 yards Swiss and to 3 inches wide, all good patterns, 2 to 4½ yard lengths, manufacturer's 210 price lee, Bankrupt Sale Price. Lot 2. 12,000 yards Cambric.
Swiss and Nainsook
Edging and Insertions, 2
to 6 inches wide, man-

Lot 3. 15,000 yards Hamburg Insertions in 4½-yard strlps,8 to 7 inches wide strips, a to 7 inches wide. 726

Corsets---Underwear.

Corsets.

Lot of slightly soiled Corsets, including popular makes, worth \$1.00...... Lot of C. B., P. N. and R. sets, slightly solled, worth up to \$1.25; Friday for.....

Bankrupt Stock. No better in any house in th land. All perfect, all clear all worth double. Linens.

125 2½ yards long Fringed Cloth, in colored borders, Brooklyn price \$1.69; Bankrupt Sale price 75 SETS

Domestics. One case of 4-4 Bleached in mill ends, Brooklyn price, 6%c. Bankrupt sale price..... 31c Marseilles Quilta, slightly imper-ect; spreads worth from \$3.00 to \$4.60 aplece; \$1.49

Wash Goods.

BANKRUPT RIBBONS.

This stock was still in the original cartons—hundreds of pieces saw the light first time in our store.

5,000 yards No. 22 Extra Heavy Satin Ribbon, also 3 inches wide Fancy Brocade and 3 inches wide Fancy Taffeta, also 334 inches wide Piain Taffeta Ribbon, Taffeta Ribbon, worth up to 33c yard, Bankrupt Sale Price.

Spring Jackets, Capes, Skirts and Waists.

GRAND STOCK OF

SPRING CAPES AND JACKETS

15c Jackets, all latest \$1.00 up

Shirt Waists.

50 dozen Shirt Waists, soiled, 25c were sold at 75c...... 25c

from her republican ally, and she is important the Powers should apply seeming pressure potent, for the first time, in the face of upon her in order to give the Greek Government an excuse to retire from an impossible the greatest of all powers-public opinion. The lesson is, in many respects, the most striking in our political history and the diplomatic world is watching its develop-

ment with the intensest interest.

The Queen's interest in the critical events of the past two or three weeks has been most assiduous, and, it is whispered, some-what embarrassing to Lord Salisbury. Her what embarrassing to Lord Salisbury. Her Majesty was firmly determined not to allow the peace of the Kingdom to be broken during her jublice year if it was possible to avoid it. Her injunctions to this effect have been frequent and emphatic. She has made frequent use of the telephone to the Foreign Office. She has gone to the Riviera very hopeful.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Five hundred of the eight hundred members of the Greek colony assembled last night and cheered the speeches denouncing Consul-General Botassi for neglect of duty and lack of patriotism. Botassi's friends were represented by about fifty persons in the rear of the hall, who protested vigorously against the remarks of the speakers. Feeling ran, so high that a riot was almost precipitated. It is charged that the Consul-General has refused to publish the names and amounts of donations to the Greek fund. The Consul-General says he has received no money and that all gifts to the committee are acknowledged through a paper in Athens, but this does not satisfy the Greeks. They say the Consul has received personally almost \$2,000,000. Special to the Post-Dispatch.

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CONSTANTINOPLE, March II.—It is be-lieved here that the diplomatic representa-tives of the Powers will arrive at an agree-ment to permit the Greek troops to co-operate under European officers in the pacification of the Island of Crete, after Greece has signified her submission to the ultimatum of the Powers.

NEW YORK, March 11.—James Creelman, at Athens, sends the following dispatch to the Journal:

I know from the very highest authority that Greece has prepared a plan for the Macedonian campaign to the minutest detail. Responsibility for the future rests with the Powers.

Powers.

If such a flagrant insult to the Greek nationality as the violent deportation of the Greek Consul from Canea is repeated, the sounds of the opening shots of a great European war will encircle the globe and European Turkey will be dismembered. Athens is flooded with enthusiastic recruits.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, March 11.—A sensation has been caused here by a prayer used by the Bulgarian Metropolitan in the presence of the King of Servia and Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, during the former's visit to this

CANEA, March 11.—The Mussulmans who were brought here from Candame on board an Italian with the greatest difficulty and danger. Candame is situated in a valley surrounded by forts occupied by 10,000 insurgents. The European force sent to the reacue of the Mussulmans was commanded by British and French was commanded by British and French offices.* The insurgents searched the Mussulmans and took their arms from them Mussulmans and took their arms from them before they were allowed to depart. In all, 525 men, 1,047 women and children and 452 Turkish soldiers were taken to the coast and embarked on board foreign vessels.

GUINES AND BEJUCAL IN HA VANA PROVINCE.

TWO TRAINS ARE BLOWN UP

Confirmation of the Belief That Spain Will Be Obliged to Abandon Cuba.

ecial to the Post-Dispatch. the Bulgarian Metropolitan in the presence of the King of Servia and Prince Ferdinand city.

The Metropolitan, in offering prayers for the Czar, spoke of him as "the protector of Bulgaria, during the former's visit to this sacking all the stores, and taking \$10,000 ft Bulgaria and Servia, and the Siavonic Nation," thus acknowledging at a high solemnity the Czar's protectorship over those peoples. The incident is regarded as highly significant in view of the Eastern crisis.

LONDON, March 11.—A dispatch to the Times from Canea says it turns out that the British and Italian transports which made their appearance suddenly at Canea yesterday morning did not, as was then believed, carry British troops, but were only of the Government for carrying on the Santa Clara line. In both cases may Spanish soldiers were killed.

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The newspapers here have announced by official permission that the monetary remainded to the Government would be cordially sustained in giving an emphatic negative to it.

Weyler and the Cubans.

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CITY OF MEXICO, March 11.—Popular interest is intense as to the requise that the theory interest is intense as to the requise for Cuban pariots. Spaniards claim and exercise the right to raise money for their solders are the province, the covernment will make to the requise for Cuban pariots. Spaniards claim and exercise the right to raise money for their solders are the province, has also been attacked by the Cubans.

Mexico and the Cubans. NEW YORK, March 11 .- The Sun has the

an appeal will be made to the Cortes, either for a new loan or for some other means of securing money. This news confirms the belief that Spain will be obliged before summer to give up the fight she is waging in Cuba. A foreign loan will be a failure. Leading banking houses in Paris, Berlin and London have informed their correspondents here that, after a careful examination of all the reports concerning Cuba, they are not willing to lend another cent to Spain.

Another popular loan in Spain cannot be realized, for the country is completely exhausted and impoverished. Those who know the situation see in the official announcement that the Government has funds only until next summer the first declaration of Spain's downfail. At this very time the Government is unable to feed the troops. The Spanish soldiers are literally starving. The Government gives them only paper money, which nobody accepts, and they are told to buy food with this worthless stuff. In Havana the prices of all articles of food in the markets have doubled. A pound of inferior meat costs 40c, and bread is also so dear that it is out of the reach of the poor.

To meet this desperate situation Gen. Weyler believes that the sternest military energy only is required, but his threats and decrees are of no avail against the general poverty.

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Gén. Weyler has made this declaration through La Lucha; "I care nothing whatever about what the foreign press says of me. I have my plan and I stick to it with all the energy of my character."

The plan, as already known, is to exterminate the country population and devastate the island, but it serves only to precipitate the ruin of Spain.

"The small-pox is my ally," Weyler has said, believing erroneously that the epidemic makes greater ravages among the Cubans than among the Spanish solders. The cases of small-pox all over the island now number more than 20,000. In Havana alone there are 7,000. In small towns like Guines the mortality is 38 percent, which would be incredible, if the abcolute lack of sanitary and medical resources was not generally known.

In the province of Santa Clara the war is being fiercely waged, and not a day passes without some engagement between Gomes and the Spaniards.

In Sanitago de Cuba, Weyler has confessed that "it is impossible to speak about peace there for the present."

The insurgent bands are swarming around Havana, as they did last week, and are constantly making raids upon the suburbs of the capital.

TO TREAT WITH GOMEZ. Alleged Orders to Weyler to End the War at Any Cost.

CHICAGO, March 11.-Crittenden Marriott, the Record's correspondent in Ha-vana, declares that Gen. Weyler has received positive orders from Madrid to end the Cuban war at once, even by going to the extent of selling the island to the in-urgents, if need be, to accomplish that ob-ject. Gen. Weyler, therefore, set out for Villa Clara to find Gen. Gomes and to un-dertake negotiations. Weyler himself has

said that the war will end within three weeks. Gen. Weyler's orders are, it is claimed, to secure peace at any terms, and he is instructed to offer Gomez bribes, autonomy or the island itself. Fear as to President McKinley's position is given as a leading cause for the Spanish change of policy.

THREATEN TO DESTROY IT.

Spaniards Say They Will Burn the City of Sancti Spiritus. HAVANA, March 11 .- Gen. Weyler has HAVANA, March II.—Gen. Weyler has withdrawn the Spanish regular troops from Sancti Spiritus, leaving the city with but 600 volunteers to defend it from anticipated attacks, and the Government commandant of volunteers has openly threatened that should the patriot forces move against the place the Spanish volunteers will set the town on fire, blow up the local jail, where various Cubans are imprisoned, and shoot all the resident members of the Autonomist party, including Marcos Garcia, the Alcalde, and others suspected of sympathizing with the revolution, before evacuating the garrison.

Mexico and the Cubans.

HAVANA, March 11.—Gen. Weyler returns to Santa Clara Province to-day. The warship Legazpi will take him to Sagua la Grande, whence he will penetrate the interfor. Villa Clara City is said to be menaced by the patriot invading forces moving west under Calixto Garcia, and Weyler hurries back to resume personal direction of the deenses there.

Weyler Takes the Field.

QUEEN IN EXILE. Former Ruler of Madagascar Goes to

Reunion Island. TAMATAVE, Island of Madagascar March 7th, via Port Louis, Island of Mau march 7th, via Fort Louis, Island of Mau-ritius, March 11.—Ranavolana III., Queen of Madagascar, who has held her post only since the island was made a French colony, on June 20, 1896, has been exiled to the Island of Reunion, a French possession near the Island of Mauritius. The exiled Queen starts for her new home to-morrow.

BURIAL PERMITS.

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE. PAUL K. DOOLITTLE, 2, 3694 Pine; la SUSAN LEWIS, 50, 3515 Longfellow; liver CHARLES BUTLER, 26, 314 South Main; WM. McHENRY, 40, Eighth and Morgan FANNIE LEONARD, 88, 1211 MATTIE BROWN, 20, 1920 Linden;

ANNIE ROSENBLAT, 74, 1126 N. 8th; sen HENRY NOLTE, 64, 4421 Chippewa; cere bral apoplexy. ELIZABETH JEFFER SOPHOMA M. HUNTER. 66.

WINNIE FARRELL, 56, 211 Valentine

HARTMAN HOPPEL, 68, 1113 South Broadway: epflepsy LEWIS DICKEY, 29, Woman's Ho BEATRICE COLEMAN, 9 months,

Linden; acute bronchitis. CHARLES E. EGGLESTON, 23, Belvidere Hotel; cause unknown. ADOLPH MUEHLEISEN, 58, 4041 St. Fer

NEW TARIFF

HOW IT WILL COMPARE WITH THE M'KINLEY LAW.

THE BIG ITEM IS SUGAR.

This Alone Will Bring the Govern ment \$62,000,000 a Year More Than the Old Law.

ecial to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 11 .- Sugar over No. 15 Dutch standard in value will pay a differential duty of one-eighth cent a pound under the new tariff law as prepared by the Republican members of the Committee on Ways and Means.

rom countries in excess of any special tax imposed.

The largest increase in the new bill over the McKinley bill will be in the sugar schedule, which is expected to produce at least 80,000,000 and may run some millions over this figure. The sugar schedule under the McKinley law brought in nothing. In fact it yielded fiz,000,000 was taken from the Treasury to passible the new bill. One is the sugar schedule on the new law are more revenue than was raised by the corresponding schedules of the McKinley law.

There are two important features of the mew bill. One is the general adoption of specific rates and the other is the decrease in the number of items on the free list. The substitution of specific rates and the other is the decrease in the number of articles from the free list. The substitution of specific for ad valorem duties has been made, wherever it was practicable. The elimination of a large number of articles from the free list will increase the revenues considerably in the aggregate; but this has not been the sole motive of the committee in making these changes. Many of them have been recommended by the officials of the Treasury Department in order to eliminate abuses which have grown up under the free list. The committee has not yet disposed of the reprocity as much as possible.

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BRAZIL'S FANATICS.

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Their Number Is 15,000 and Increase ing Daily.

ing Daily.

BUENOS AYRES, Argentina, via Galveston, Tex., March II.—The New York Herald's correspondent in Rio Janeiro telegraphs that martial law has been declared in the State of Bahia, where the Fanatics under Antonio Conselheiro are engaged in a serious rebellion.

The War Department has received information to the effect that the Fanatics are now more than 15,000 in number, and that their strength is increasing daily.

The correspondent of the Herald in Montevideo telegraphs that invasions from the Brazilian border continue, and it is admitted by the Government that at least 7,000 revolutionists are under arms.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, March 11.— In a conflict which has just taken place in the interior between the Government troops and the insurgent forces, the latter have been victorious.

AS TO FREE TRADE. Lord Salisbury Makes an Address

British Merchants. LONDON, March 11.-The thirty annual meeting of the Association of Chambers of Commerce of the United Kingdom came to a conclusion with an elaborate banquet. Lord Salisbury devoted his speech almost entirely to trade questions. He mid the French Premier and the American Our Price for

CROCERY SPECIALS. FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Committee on Ways and Means.

This rate was definitely decided upon by the Committee, and unless it is changed by the Senate it will represent all the protection that the Sugar Trust will get under the new tariff law.

It is not expected that the refiners will make much of an effort to have the rate increased by the House, but will rely upon the Senate to fix up the schedule to their liking, as was done when the present law was framed. In addition to fixing the differential at one-eighth cent, the committees the services of the discount of the services of the services

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NOW FOR REGISTRATION

Amid the bustle and excitement over the primaries and candidates Democratic leaders and workers must not lose sight of the importance of looking up all Dem-ocratic voters who have changed their places of residence since the fall elec-tion and seeing to it that they register again. There is only one day on which to register-March 16-and under the new primary law voters who are unregistered cannot vote at the primaries on March 19 any more than they can at the election on April 6.

If this matter is properly attended to, it will go far towards insuring a Democratic victory at the polls. The Democratic committeemen and leaders should not overlook it. It is certain that the Republicans, with their perfected city or- partment, Under the Constitution Contention

It is the opinion of the election officers that more Democrats than Republicans have changed their residence since Nov. 4 last. This being so, it is of more importance for the Democratic campaign managers to look up the voters who will find it necessary to register than for the

SPAIN IS DEFEATED.

The approaching bankruptcy of Spain has been patent for months past. She was almost hopelessly in debt before the Cuban war began. The tremendous exof her most valuable colony have forced her to stretch her credit to the utmost. That credit is now exhausted.

These facts give color to the story that the attitude of Mr. Olney on the Cuban question was assumed and maintained in the interest of a New England syndicate which had been promised large concesons in Cuba in the event of the revolu tion being crushed. Spain would willingly make such a promise in return for such good offices from the United States nent as she received from the Olney-Cleveland regime. And those ofes are hardly to be understood or explained in any other way.

The New Ecgland syndicate may be as

tent to control the McKinley administration as it was that of Cleveland. strangely about the deportation of Amer-icans in Cuba whom Weyler may care to get out of his way. And Consul-General Lee's petition for a warship at Havana has been "taken under advisement." But the defeat of the Spaniards is now as-sured. Time and tide are with the in-The stars, in their courses

CAPITAL CRIMES IN MISSOURI. The Judiciary Committee of the Misouri State Senate has taken wise action reporting favorably a bill empowering ries to fix life imprisonment as a pen-

alty in capital cases.

There can be no doubt that men guilty of premeditated murder have escaped punishment because the State has been unable to secure positive evidence of their guilt. On the other hand, men have been hung on circumstantial evidence where rull. On the other hand, men have been hung on circumstantial evidence whose innocence was afterward proved. In the one case juries would not have acquitted as the only alternative to hanging, and in the other, the innocent man, under the terms of such a law as is proposed, might have been spared an ignominative seath

operate to make hangings obsolete. Such has not been the experience of Illinois, which adopted it years ago. There juries convict, without sentencing, in every helinous case which is clearly proved, and the court, under the statute, adjudges the death penalty.

And capital crimes have not increased in number in Illinois in greater proportion than in other States where juries have been left no discretion, Particularly is this true of all that part of the State outside of Chicago.

ALTGELD POINTS THE WAY.

A. S. Trude of Chicago in withdrawing from the contest for the Democratic nom-ination for Mayor in that city, makes two statements which explain each other. He says he would not run on a silver platform, and that he was forced out of the race by the opposition of ex-Gov. Altgeld, Accordingly, his charge of treachery by Gov. Altgeld falls of its own weight. Gov. Altgeld did what every Democrat who values party organization and party success as a means of serving the people must do. He regarded it as better for the Republican candidate to be elected by 373,000 majority, the total vote of Chicago at the last poll, than to surrender the Democratic organization to the Hesslans who betrayed it in 1896.

That is the logic of politics, and it is peculiarly the logic of Democratic party politics at this time. It is the spirit which must control Democracy not only in Chicago, but in St. Louis and every where when insolent boltocrats demand leadership as the reward of treachery. And it is significant of the power of the sentiment that Altgeld voices that it was for something that they do not get. able to drive out of the canvass a man with as many sources of personal strength as Trude possesses.

The nrst duty of a great party is to maintain its own organization; to make its collective will, as voiced in its conventions and platforms, its paramount authority; and to punish with expulsion all deserters caught trying to sneak back into its ranks. Such punishment sternly inflicted will make it strong to meet its enemies of opposing political beliefs. And it should be willing, as a matter of policy as well as of principle, to suffer defeat after defeat rather than be led by traitors and deserters to what could not fail to be inglorious and dishonorable disaster.

CONGRESS AND APPROPRIATIONS.

Mr. Cannon of Illinois, a member of the House Appropriations Committee, calls attention to an important fact in connection with billion-dollar Congresses.

It is a fact of which the public has been heretofore advised, but which has been overlooked in the general disposition to damn Congress and let it go at that, Briefly stated, the fact is that though the aggregate appropriations of the Congress just ended were the largest in the history of the country, they were \$25,000,000 short of the estimates made by the Cleveland Administration. The same was true of the Congress preceding this And it was equally true of the two Congressional terms running through Mr. Harrison's occupancy of the White House It became a fad, during the Cleveland regime, to decry Congress as an obstruction to good government. Congress is not infallible, but the aggregate wisdom of a people is always more to be trusted than anything else. If not, our system of government is a failure. The greatest mistakes of the Cleveland Administration were in things done in defiance of Congress, in things attempted which Congress defeated, and in things resisted

which Congress supported. Such will be the verdict of history. But because the Cleveland estimates were \$25,000,000 higher than the sum Congress appropriated is no reason why the recent Congress should have appropriated as much as it did. Having started in to cut the estimates it should have cut deeper than it did. For, after all, the responsibility for appropriations is with Congress and not with the Executive Desolute control over taxes. revenue and expenditure-in fact, over all the monetary affairs of the Government. This being so, Congress cannot plead extravagance of Executive estimates as an excuse for profilgate appropriations. These "estimates" submitted by the various Cabinet officials are to be regarded by Congress simply as recomnendations or requests. Congress is the sole judge of whether or not they are reasonable, and is vested with the absolute power to grant or refuse them. It is just as much its duty to cut down an extravagant estimate submitted by the Executive Department as it is its duty to stand between the Government Treas-

ury and all outside grabbers If it neglects that duty, Congress alone is to blame. The House in particular is very jealous of any infringement of its absolute control of taxes and appropriations. When, therefore, public opinion begins to lash it for profligate appropriations, it is absurd as well as cowardly to put forward as an excuse the still greater extravagance of Executive estimates.

The first trouble of the proposed tariff tinkering comes to the importers, who are now tumbling their goods out of the warehouses as fast as possible. It is a matter of many millions to them. How ever, a good deal more worry will come in connection with the new tariff. There is no end to the vexations and inconveniences that are incident to unnatural laws.

Mr. McKinley's rule that applicants for ffice must bring the joint indorsement of the Senators and Representatives of the sections in which they live will modify the esteem in which he will be held by those who are not backed by Congresional approval.

If it is true that the railroads are refus ng passes to legislators now that the session is to close, the fact ought to make it perfectly clear to the dullest mind that passes are only given for expected benfits to the giver. The pass form of bribery should be done away with every-

Wheat fields are being washed out by water now, and may be burned out in the coming summer for want of the moisture that nature is now expending with so much extravagance. She is per-haps endeavoring to teach man that he must everywhere learn the art of irriga-

If the Civic Federation can obtain the truthfu! record of all the candidates, no voter will have a sufficient, excuse for

voting against the city's interests. Every voter should have all possible knowledge of the candidate for whom he is to cast his ballot.

Charlemagne Tower is a new name to pewspaper readers. Should this cultured Philadelphian get the German mission he may succeed in convincing the Germans that a high tariff for Germany is bad while one is kept up in the United States.

Boss Quay and Boss Platt have been nuch belittled by Boss Hanna. All three are now in the Senate, and if somebody were to pin a paper to Boss Hanna's toga there would be no indignant rebuke from the two smaller bosses.

Russia may be mistaken in her opinion that the Turks would annihilate the Greeks. It takes a long time to annihilate a brave and determined people and many things may happen before the extirpation can be completed.

Twenty of the twenty-four policement who guarded Mr. Cleveland will be relieved of the care of the new President, who is fearless. Mr. Cleveland goes on record as the most timorous of all our chief magistrates.

To obtain control of the offices, Republican Congressmen must not only be Republicans, but Republicans subservient to the new administration. They must think and act as Mark Hanna prescribes

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It is noted that Prince Russell Harrison has not yet asked for an office under the new administration. The Prince is sufficiently honored in the honors that have been bestowed upon his father.

Bellamy Storer, who has been turned down by Foraker after having been promised the place of Assistant Secretary of State, will scarcely be happy when he looks backward,

Some of the Missouri applicants for Federal plums feel as if, before the terms of the officials whose places they want expire, they themselves will expire. Life is indeed short.

Chairman Dingley's opposition to trusts of separating trusts and tariffs. They go hand in hand,

sibilities of Missouri soil, we may yet dent of that road. have a sugar industry, if not a sugar bounty. The Greek Prime Minister opposes to

The new President will scarcely thank the Chicago Tribune for characterizing

Two reductions in wages after their service in one McKinley parade is an oppressive inequality for the McKeesport tube-works employes.

Straw hats are likely to appear before our Missouri Republicans are rewarded for their fidelity to Mr. McKinley. Patience, O patriots!

The street railroads are lobbying at Springfield, Ill. Reasons multiply for the ownership of street railroads by municipalities

The New Yorker who has been fined \$5 for spitting on a street car floor did not expect to have to "cough up" so much. Immigrants are pourning into Mexico from the United States. They have not

the slightest fear of Mexican silver. Mr. McKinley got his Bi It came none too soon. He will need all the religion he can absorb from it.

The exasperation that will follow the President's procrastination will be chiefly felt among the office-seekers.

Whatever may be said of the Greek language, the Greeks themselves are just now thoroughly alive.

Missouri now has the big red apple, and Mr. McKinley wants to give us the big brown beet.

Spain's attempt to make Cuba walk herself.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

From the New York Press. If women looked like fashion plates, the that she had me stay after school and men would all commit suicide. If the devil knows his business he won't Boston Transcript. burn them all; he will nag at the

won't be any more snow to shovel, he has say so." to begin to cut the grass.

When a woman tells you she liked to make woman had on, when he fell."—Yonker

mud ples when she was a little girl, you Statesman. may be pretty sure she enjoys a scandal, Objected To.

From the Detroit Free Press. Dora: He said there was one thing about me he didn't like. Cora: What was that? "Another man's arms."

Bench Shows.

From the Peorla Herald. St. Louis is chuckling over the fact that his labors somewhat, while not increasing she has had a successful bench show. Has she not been having one ever since Judge Murphy sat on the bench?

THE OLD FOLKS AT HOME.

"Suwanee River," with the air which old and young recall, Will thrill us till our features are but pic-tures on the wall. The old folks lingering at home appear upon

the strain;
Their sacrifices and their love—we feel it
all again;
But while we render homage then yet further The dear old hearts are longing for the children's coming home.

Old eyes forgetting all the world, watch for the gleam of salis;
Old hearts grow faithfuler in love howe'ar the body falls.
The chimes which come at evening time, the winds that fan the spring. But prove reminders of the past and vanished sweetness bring;
and God alone who yearns for us can know the aches that come
and stab the hearts that long and long the children's coming home.

ven's coming home.

IN THE PUBLIC EYE.



FANNIE C. GRATJAN. This young lady, now living in New York is from the West originally. She is not only an artist, but an inventor as well, having devised a very successful contrivance for freeing a runaway horse from a carriage. It was the result of a runaway accident in which she was hurt.

MEN OF MARK.

A monument to Massini, with a revolutionary inscription by Sig. Bovio, has just been unveiled at Molfetta on the Adriatic.

Lord Brassey, Governor of South Australia and owner of the yacht Sunbeam, was thrown from his horse recently, breaking his cellar bone and sustaining severe injuries in the chest. He was pitched on his head, and the horse rolled over him.

King Menelek of Abyssinia will soon hav a reputation as a patron of art. A few weeks ago he was reported to have ordered from a Russian painter a battle picture representing the defeat of the Italians. Now he has commissioned the artist Schleising of Melningen to paint a great pano rama to be put up in a building to be erected for the purpose.

J. H. Henderson, the newly appointed Senator from Florida, was born in North Georgia. When he was 10 years old, his family settled in Hillsboro County, Fla, During the Reconstruction period he represented Hillsboro County in the State Senate, does not include the Sugar Trust. He becoming the Democratic leader in that realizes, no doubt, the great difficulty body. In 1877 Gov. Drew appointed him State's Attorney, and he was reappointed to the same office in 1881. He is about 50 years old. For some years he has been As the new President chimes in with chief counsel of the Florida Central and Mr. Bell in regard to the saccharine pos- Peninsula Railroad Co., and he is now Presi-

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Miss Helen Gladstone has been principal Napoleon's theory of the strongest bat- of Newnham College, Oxford, for fifteen talions the saying that "Right is the years, but has lately resigned this position strength of the feeble." It is timely said. in order to devote herself to her father and mother.

Miss Grace Lincoln Temple, who was the ecorator of the Women's Building at the his work in Congress as "the gross, Atlanta Exposition, has been given the greedy blunder of 1890."

Atlanta Exposition, has been given the greedy blunder of 1890." ly bought Cleveland residence at Prince

Miss Caroline Ingersoll of Kenne, N. H has founded the Ingersoll lectureship at Harvard, providing for one lecture a year upon the "Immortality of Man." The first lecture was lately delivered by Dr. Gordon of the Old South Meeting House in Boston. Mme. Duse intends to give a series of performances in Paris, in the course of which she will challenge comparison with Bernhardt in Sardou's "Fedora." Mme. Duse has recently been acting in St. Petersburg, but has had to cut her engagement short on account of illness. After that she was to play in Breslau and give a gala performance in Berlin before the Emperor Her tour will later take her to Denmark, Sweden and Norway.

Mrs. J. J. McKenna, wife of the Attorney-General, was born in Hamburg, Ger many, and came to this country with her parents when a child but 3 years old. She

NEW JOKES.

Ethel: So you refused George? Clara: Yes; but he acted nicely about it. Ethel: How's that? Clara: He didn't leave without kissing me.-New York Town Topics.

Ferocious Visitor (entering office): See here, boy. I've come to lick the editor. Spanish has only resulted in tottering Office Boy: You won't like the job, He's just been tarred and feathered .- Tit-Bits. Parent: How did you get along with your geography lesson to-day, Johnny? Pupil: Bully. The teacher was so pleased repeat it all over again only just to her .-

Racon: Did you hear about Bacheller! As soon as a man is pretty sure there victim to woman's charms!" "You don't "Yes; he was riding his wheel, and he turned around to see what the "The ass in the lion's skin?" said the

king of beasts, at the usual after-circus soiree. "It is no fable, but a fact. In truth, it was my skin that the ass occuto the Meat Trust beef we get here,"-In-

AN ILLUSTRATED PHRASE,



A Death-Bed Confession.

From the New York Journal. Almost the last official act of President Cleveland was his signature of the bill pro viding for an international conference look ng toward international bimetallism. I was a death-bed confession by the expir-ing gold standard Administration, just as the passage of the bill was a confession by the Republicans in Congress that the single standard is a fraud, a failure and a menace. At the last moment the Repub-licans and Mr. Cleveland thus practically admit the justice of the attacks made upon onometallism by the Democrats last sum-Though then, when the campaign was in

progress, they denounced the Democrats as pudiationists, inflationists and anarchists hey now range themselves with the objects of their denunciation. Though then they iked hotly about "debasing the currency" and insisted that there could be only one measure of values, and that gold should be that measure, they now take steps to "de-base the currency" and restore the double measure of values. Though then they ridiculed the complaint that the appreciating single standard had depreciated everything else, they now tacitly own that the com-plaint is well founded and are trying to re-establish the parity between products and the circulating medium of exchange. Mr. Cleveland will be out of the difficulty

so created, and neither the country nor he will be concerned with his future course with regard to future circumstances. But what of the Republican party? Having put itself into the position of an advocate of bimetallism it will not be able to resu four years hence, its former position. Sup pose the international conference has no re sult? Suppose no international agreement can be obtained?

Now that it has repudiated the gold stand ard, how will the Republican party oppose the Democrats when they renew the battle for bimetallism in 1900?

The Extra Session.

From the New York Journal.

Far better would be the consecration of this extra session to a radical discussion and application of remedy to the evils of our whole currency system. Here is the dry-rot which has paralyzed the business affairs of the country from center to circumference. The manifest symptoms of the disease began to show themselves prior to the second Cleveland Administration, when the second Cleveland Administration, when the operation of the McKinley tariff had had full opportunity to do its work of bless ing or curse. The ravages of the inheren trouble increased persistently, and whether McKinley or Wilson tariff ruled seems to have made but little essential difference. It is time for the skillful physician to make a radical and accurate diagnosis. He who makes a mistake in the cause of the malady when it reaches a deadly stage is apt to be stigmatized as the quack.

NASAL INSTINCT.



Old Mr. Johnsing: Whad yo' know 'bout trackin' rabbits, son? How yo' knows but whad dem tracks yo's follerin' up aint

skunk tracks? Rastus: Kase I'se got a nose, uncle. An Honest Dollar.

From the Springfield (Mass.) Republican,

nemann before her wanted was a "tolerably honest dollar" is marriage, the only child of Francis G. being twisted by his critics entirely out of Bornemann, and was educated in San Fran-its real meaning. Bryan's premise was that cisco. Mrs. McKenna was raised in the old-fashioned German way. Judge and lar, one that will never fluctuate with the creditor's benefit or either for the creditor's benefit or the creditor's benefit or the creditor's benefit or the creditor's benefit or for the debtor's, is impossible, and that premise is correct with any monetary system that uses as a money standard a netal having a value factor dependent upon the great economic law of supply and de mand. Since, therefore, a perfect, or absolutely honest, dollar is not to be hoped for so long as we use metals as mo Bryan said he wanted the next best thing, that is, a dollar that is as fair as possible to both debtor and creditor, or, as he expressed it, a "tolerably honest dollar." No real student of monetary questions can hope for much more so long as the world is obliged to use metals as money.

From the Owensboro (Ky.) Messenger.

If a silver Democrat like Blackburn has, through the treachery of men once recognized as Democrats, had to give up his seas in the Senate, it is something of a consola-tion to know that all the gold Democrat Senators-save Gray, Lindsay and Cafferyhave been cleaned out of the Senate chamber, too; and not one of these three can hope to be re-elected. The Democrati party is fast getting rid of the traitors.

Young Mr. Carlisle. From the New York Journal.

It seems that Secretary of the Treasury Gage has declined to avail himself of the services of ex-Secretary Carlisle's son as Chief Clerk of the Treasury Department. Young Mr. Carlisle appears to have bolted the Democratic ticket and turned Demo-crats out of office in vain.

WHEN I HAVE TIME.

From the Indianapolis News. When I have time so many things I'll do To make life happier and more fair For those whose lives are crowded now with I'll help to lift them from their low de-When I have time.

When I have time, the friend I love so well Shall know no more these weary, toiling praise, When I have time.

When you have time! The friend you hold May be beyond the reach of all your sweet



New Engagement Ring.

A Western gentleman has invented engagement ring. It is actually two ring The gold is twisted in a manner to for two connecting rings, destined to be we



on the "love" and "pinkle" fingers respectively. The prettiest of these two-fold rings has a diamond in one ring and a ruby in the other. The rings when off look like two hoops of wire. Wearing this ring with a glove is troublesome

Nineteenth Century Tartlets. Mineteenth Century Tartiets.

Make some pure paste tartiet cases in rather large patty pans. When they are baking make about a pint of corn flour, flavored with lemon peel and sweetened and stiff enough to set in a moid (i. e., two heaped tablespoonfuls of corn flour to a pint of milk). Spread a layer of jam at the bottom of the tartlet cases, filling up to the top with the corn flour, which should be quitte smooth; grate over this a sweet rusk or macaroon, and when the corn flour is quite coid place in the center of each tartlet a piece of red currant jelly or a preserved cherry.

Cheese Tartlets. Cut up four ounces of good cheese into small pieces and put it into a mortar with a seasoning, according to taste, of salt cayenne, dry mustard and two ounces of fresh butter; pound these ingredients until they form a perfectly smooth paste. Then stir in the yolks of three eggs, well beaten and the white of one egg whisked to a stiff froth. Line some small pastry-tins with good pastry, half fill them with the cheese mixture and bake for fifteen minutes in a brisk oven. Then serve either hot or cold, neatly arranged on a folded napkin and tastefully garnished with parsiey.

(The Post-Dispatch does not hold itself re

"The Republic" and Mr. Meriwether.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch. To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Apropos of your article of March 9, I would like to relate a little of my experience with the city editor of the Republic, the journal that has been boycotting by a conspiracy of silence Mr. Lee Meriwether.

Some time ago the Republic announced that Mr. Meriwether had withdrawn in favor of Mr. Harrison. I took a letter from Mr. Meriwether to Mr. Connor, the city editor, requesting its publication. The latter was couched in very politic terms, but Mr. Connor immediately flared up in the most indignant manner and made this statement:

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The river is a natural water course for the river is a natural water described an

"St. George and Merrie Wether."

St. Louis, March 9. Mystified by Miss Fay.

Sanitary Officers and Fumigators.

For the Hair.

African Mothers' Dolls.

To Remove Spots From Furnit To remove spots from furniture, rub well with sweet oil and turpentine, then wash with warm soapsuds and polish with crude oil. For a good polish for old furniture try the following: Put equal parts of kerosens and sweet oil into a large bottle and shake well; then apply with a flannel cloth, rub-ing the oil in well. It can be used or either

THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

Kindly tell me what is pyrosis? Also give The disturbance is popularly called "heartburn." There is usually a burning sensation in the stomach, accompanied by eructations of acrid and irritating fluid. For an occasional attack bicarbonate of soda may be used with good effect. From five to ten grains should be taken in vichy

Please tell me is oil of wintergreen a good emedy for rheumatishm? The drug has been used with good results

in the treatment of the acute form of the disease. The dose is ten drops every three or four hours. The remedy is best administered in soft gelatine capsules. They be obtained from any apothecary.

What can I use to heal a raw and inflamed surface on my baby's skin? It was caused by chafing of clothing. You may find an excellent remedy in stearate of sinc. Use it freely as a dusting

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Deepen the Control of the Post-Dispatch:
I cordially commend your editorial suggestion to deepen River Des Peres in its gestion to deepen River Dark, not only as a beautifier of the Deepen the Des Peres.

The river is a natural water course for a vast territory, and if deepened, widened and supplied with locks, flood gates and attached lakes, would make Forest Park the peer for beauty of any park in America. It should be deepened down to the hardpan soil and widened and walled with hard clay after the removal of the black alluvium that holds the malarial bodies. With locks to shut and fill the stream in dry season and a diversion of the sewage from Cabanne place and beyond, a picturesque river could be made across the park, adding much to its beauty and healthfulness.

Whether it would be practicable to so deepen the river as to put a large wateright covered sewer in the bottom, with a bed of water over it, is an engineering problem beyond my ability to solve. The natural water courses make the best sewer routes and have been more utilized in St. Louis than other large cities of the country.

St. Louis, March 2. C. H. HUGHES.

o the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

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To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In regard to Miss Fay, I beg to differ from the party signing "C. P. Guessar." Miss Fay answered my question, which I wrote at home before starting for the theater. I did not take it out of my pocket until she called my name. I went with the idea that it was a fake, but changed my mind before I left.

St. Louis, March 2.

To the Editor of the Post-L

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"We will not publish this letter, for it is the same old free silver push headed by Charlis Jones but Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Charlis Jones but Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Scharlis Jones but Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Scharlis Jones but Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Scharlis Jones but Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Scharlis Jones but Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Scharlis Jones but Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Scharlis Jones but Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Scharlis Jones but Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Scharlis Jones But Mr. And the same old free silver push headed by Scharlish Jones Scharlish Schar

The "Assessment" of Candidates. Editor of the Post-Dispatch

NEWERS TO CORRESPONDENT

PURIFIER OF BLOOD AND BEER.

AS SUCH THE NAME OF GEN. RY-DER WILL GO DOWN IN HISTORY.

HAS SPILLED BOTH.

His Has Been a Life Devoted to the Self-Sacrificing Reform of Others at His Own Expense.

The life ambition of Gen. William Ryder The life ambition of Gen. William Ryder is all but achieved. His soul is thrilled with an ecstacy he has never known. The leer an ecstacy he has never known. The leer his Mephistophelean face has changed to a cherubic grin. His ambrosial locks are fluttering to the time beats of his tri-umphant steps. He is vindicated at last.

His beer bill has passed the House. If it can but pass the Senate and receive the Governor's signature, Napoleon after Austerlitz, Grant after Appomattox, Mark Hanna after the third of last November, will have been eclipsed in the grandeur of the accomplishment.

Nine long, weary, self-sacrificing years has the General been plugging for the beer bill. This means much in St. Louis, for he has earned thereby the enmity of the hop aristocracy. First they argued, then they pleaded, then they threatened, and when they saw at last that this one purpose

they pleaded, then they threatened, and when they saw at last that this one purpose was more to the long-haired reformer than his life they cut him cold and let him go his way while they went theirs.

Such a fate is a sad one for a man of Gen. Ryder's temperament. With all his fixedness of purpose, his unbending, unyielding front in the face of opposition, he has a genial nature, especially when he can be genial at other people's expense. Persistent advocacy of this inspection bill cost him many a beer, but he stood it. He overlooked all sleepers, cheering himself with the hope that after it had become a law perhaps they would soften toward him. He knew too that then the beer would be purer and it helped him to bear his burden. So year after year he has kept it up, while his eye grew dimmer, his face redder and his ringlets grayer, asking for no remuneration, proud in the consciousness that he was but doing his duty toward his fellow men. Those who are not prejudiced against him—think that this is a fitting end to Gen. Ryder's long life of reform. Since the gay old days of '56, the General has been reforming somebody or something. Occasionally he tackled himself, only to think of how much more others needed his services and direct his attention elsewhere.

When the Legislature is not in session the General can be found almost any day warming a chair in one of the hotels. He used to warm one too often at the Laclede, and they invited him to change his headquarters. Like the gentleman that he is, he consented. With his little bead-like, watery blue eyes, his oily, tangled, curly gray black hair, his ragged mustache dyed black, and his black slouch hat crowning it all, he is a figure to attract attention of a certain kind almost anywhere.

No one knows where this man came from. The mystery of his birthplace was never revealed by him. Like Homer, there were several choice spots chosen by self-appointed historians, but the distinguished advocate of better beer and better times always maintained a dignified silence o

of better beer and better times always maintained a dignified silence on the subject.

There is a suspicion that the old sod of Ireland first felt his baby footprints by reason of the fact that when swayed by his emotions in the fierce passion of political campaigns, he often lapsed into the Irish language, much as a German will swear in his native tongue when he becomes immersed in his troubles.

It was in the very early 50s that St. Louis first saw the General. He was a dude in those days and a dangerous dude, too, Even then he wouldn't work. He was in training for the struggle with fate in the years to come. In those days gambling flourished and "Billy," as he was then familiarly known, in company with Jack Looney, that notorious gentleman now dead, took it upon himself to steer unsuspecting suckers into games of chance where they would be sure to win a fortune. At least he always told the suckers this, with a vehemence that carried conviction, and if they didn't win a fortune it was because they didn't play the right cards.

But this was in the General's callow days, As he grew older and broadened out he sought a wider field for his diverse talents. He went into politics, that bourne whence no traveler returns. The General never got very far into the game, but he thought he did, and he at least succeeded in picking up a title.

There are those who say that this title came from the very warlike private life of the gentleman, but this is because they are jealous. It is true he has sliced up a good many men in his time, but the beat he

are jealous. It is true he has sliced up a good many men in his time, but the best he ever got for that habit was a short term in the penitentiary.

For many years the General did valliant service for the Democratic party. On the hustings or at the polls he was a demon for work. He worked everybody he could, and when the game got slow he jumped it.

After a long term in harness without of floial recognition by his party, he concluded that it was time to get an office, but the party was blind. They overlooked the genius hidden beneath the hirsuite bushel on the General's skull, and showered their honors on slum politicians.

Naturally the General got sore. He made up his mind about seven years ago to seek affiliations where he would be understood. He forgot the Irish language and, accumulating a German-Negro dialect, went bag and baggage into the Republican camp. He has been an ornament to it ever since, and, with swelling pride he now lays at his party's feet this jewel of his efforts—the beer bill.

In any estimate of the General's character it should not be forgotten that he is a blood as well as a beer purifier. He is strongly for purity in sverything, and he does not bar politics. You mention Hot Springs to him, and he will tell you of a spring somewhere back of the health resort, about thirty miles, that has it beat to death as a cleanser of the blood. If you insist, he will get you a bottle of the water. No man has ever been heard to say that he had been there, but the Ryder spring must have had a large patronage, for the General always insisted—especially if engaged in negotiations for its sale—that it was a regular mint.

One of the most charming characteristica about Gen. Ryder is the way he handles his fights. Although somewhat in the sere and yellow leaf, he will give anyone a game if they insist upon it even now. If you don't believe it, insult him.

The General never fights with his fats nor with a gun. He prefers a knife, and long practice has secured for him the expertness of a Chinese executione

penitentiary.

If one were to believe calumnious rumor the number of notohes on the Ganeral's dirk would reach the unlucky thirteen. It is possible that he has tried to get that many, but he has been unfortunate is his choice of locations for his weapon. He can have been dead to the control of the location of the loc

Хоооооооооооооооо Special Sale of Mill Ends.

The Grand-Leader has just received 56 cases of Wash Goods and Sta-ples in Mill Lengths (from 2 to 10 yards)—all the new things in light weight fabrics for '97 are represented. Talk about big values—watch the crowds in our Basement.

1 case of Mill Ends of Un-bleached 6 canton Flannel, 3C Friday, per yard 2 cases of Mill Ends of solid color, 10c Sateen, per yard, 5C Friday 4 cases Mill Ends of extra fine fancy Printed Dimities—the loc a yard kind—Friday, HERE, only

FROM 8 to 10 A. M. 1 case of Mill Ends of best 36-in. Percales in beautiful patterns, worth 12/2c, per yard during this time.....

25c Handkerchiefs, 122c.

Men's very fine, large size, half-linen, white hemstitched Handkerchiefs, that are regular 25c goods, will be sold HERE.

(Not more than one dozen to a customer.)

One of the largest Eastern manufacturers of Knit Underwear was hard pressed for ready money; our New York buyer knew it, and bought 25 cases of Ladies' and Children's Underwear at about 50c on the dollar—the entire lot on sale Friday in Tive great lines.

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Lot 1—3 cases of Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Cotton Vests, low neck and sleevedess, honest loc values; special 4C

Underwear Sale.

4 cases of Mill Ends of 40-in.
Unbleached Muslin, the 74-c
kind, Friday, a yard

8 cases of Mill Ends of fine
Zephyr Ginghams, the 10c
quality, per yard, Friday

5c

> FROM IO to 12 A. M. 200 pcs of very best quality fancy Shelf Oil Cloth that is worth 84c a yd, will be sold during this time at...

8 cases of Mill Ends of Lace Vel-our and Fancy Grenadine Lawns, the 1242c kind, per yd...7C

50c Handkerchiefs, 19c.

At 9 o'clock Friday morning we place or sale a sample lot of Ladies' pure Linen Hand-kerchisfs, em-broidered and hemstitched, no a beauty, pos-itively 85c, 40c and 50c goods—will be sold until gone for \$1.00. 19c

Silk Bargains

Friday, from 8 to 10 a. m.,

Dress Goods....

A full line of styles in pure wool, Scotch, checked and fine mixtures—goods that cannot be duplicated for less than 89c a yard—going HERE to-morrow for.

HERE to-morrow for.

Positively, for Friday only, we will sell 88-inch imported black brocaded 8atin Berber, in all the latest designs, that is finished equal to any \$1.00 slik made and guaranteed to wear—for only (Not more than one dress pattern to a customer).

We will sell just 10 pieces—no more at this price—of \$0-inch extra fine pure wool, black, Imperial Twilled Serge, that sells everywhere at 60c a yard 39c

for

-for definition of the control of the control of the scarcer, wanted colorings—be on hand early and you'll get one of the most stylish and serviceable of this year's fabrics at a bargain price peryard.

The Grand-Leader's Silk Sales are in creasing daily—values like these are doing it:

THE FASTEST GROWING STORE IN AMERICA

Sale extraordinary of Pocket-Books and other Leather Goods at

Pocket=Book Sale.....

less than Half Price.

eighteen traveling salesmen.
The lot contains PocketBooks, Card Cases, BillBooks, Wallets, Coin-Books,
Men's Purses, and Combination Card and Stamp Cases,
Pocket-Books and Handkerchief-Holders, and all the
other pleasing novelties in
this line. Beautiful things in plain Books, Metal or Sterling Silver Ornamented
Goods, fancy hand-made cases with different style flaps—kid, calf, morocco,
seal, alligator and monkey—in fact everything in either plain, pressed or embossed leather will be found in this assortment—hand some, serviceable articles
—at prices that are very low for EVEN the Grand-Leader—to be sold like this:

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Hosiery Drives.....

From 8 to 12 Friday morning, or until all are gone, we will sell Men's full regular, fancy mixed Cotton Hose, with white heels and toes, that would be a bargain at 12½c a pair, for only

Soiled Muslin Underwear.

Alot of soiled Underwear—best quality of muslin and cambric goods—several different styles in Empire and high-neck Gowns, and Umbrella Skirts and Drawers—all beautifully embroid ered—formerly soil at 80c, 51,25 and 51,00 a garment—one washing will make them good as new—come early to-morrow and take your choice for

Special Sale of Groceries.

The Grand-Leader has made a big grocery deal. We bought from the Fire Underwriters of Chicago two carloads of best quality Grocuries, formerly owned by Elliot & Oc., of Logansport, Ind. Not a bit of the slock we bought was injured in any way. On sale to-morrow. Come expecting some great values—you'll get them.

100 sacks of choice Java Coffee that Elliot & Co. paid 22c a pound for at wholesale, will be sold here at, per pound 1,500 Cans Red Kidney Beans, each..... 10c 1,000 Bottles Good Catsup, each.... ,000 large jars Mustard, 100 4c ,000 pounds Cod Fish, i-pound bricks, each 10c 5c 1,000 cans Van Camp's Pork and Beans, regular price lie 10C 700 cans Sliced Pine Appla per can 6c

s,000 Cans Finest Sugar Corn, 6C 1,200 Cans Cove Oysters, 7c per can Sol Packages Aunt Jemima 8c 1,500 cans California Peaches. 14c per cap 1,200 Cans Finest Columbia 1,200 cans Finest Columbia 14c liver salmon, sold at 20c.

Corset Special....

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Drapery Bargains... 250 Odd Lace Curtains, of regular and 8 yards long, some slightly dam

Good quality, 8x7 ft., Window that are mounted on best spring with fixtures complete, all colors, will be sold HERE, Friday at

Large lot of 40 and 45-inch Scotch and Fish Net Sash Laces, in all the new cream and white designs, very dainty; worth regularly up to 25c a yard; choice, Friday, per yard.

Choice of 500 extra quality French Gui-pure, Fish and Brussels Net Lace Cur-tains, in a nice line of patterns, cream and white, 34 yards long and up to 60 inches wide, worth as high as \$4.50 a pair, . 49C

nign as \$3.50 a pair.

for, each

27x63-inch Brussels Rugs, in handsome,
bright colorings and latest patterns, very serviceable, worth

\$1, 30; choice Friday for
Choice of a complete assortment of genuine Creponette Portieres, the new Spring
and Summer drapery, in a line of rich
colors and patterns, fringed, with
dado tops and bottoms,
worth \$1, 20; to morrow
per pair

Napkins—We will sell, Friday, fine, all-linen, large sized, Fringed Napkins, plain or checked, that are worth 75c per dozen,

Shoes Very Cheap....

A Crowd-Making Bargain.



large oven, warranted a perfect baker, delivered and put up, all pipe and elbows included, (worth every cent of \$15) for. \$6.98

Clothes Horse, for

49c 10c Tubed Coffee-Cake



Kain Will Sweeten the World With the Luxury of Hate."

Editor William Marion Reedy pays his espects to Archbishop Kain in the current dition of the Mirror. He does it in a series of reflections or

of the ecclesiastic is from the standpoint of ersonal experience. He is engaged to the eautiful daughter of Dr. Jerome K. Bauduy. The young lady is a Catholic. Mr. Reedy is also a Catholic, but the Church

refuses to sanction their union. Some time ago Mr. Reedy had the good fortune to be legally disentangled from a misalliance. The woman is still alive, and under Roman Catholic law, though divorced, he is still his wife, for he can not marry

until she is dead. To obviate this serious difficulty Mr. Reedy presented before the diocesan matrimonial court circumstances in connection with his early marriage that might nullify the union or remove the church's ban.

The case was argued; but now to his great surprise and displeasure, Mr. Reedy learns that the archbishop's advocate will, in the event of a favorable decision for the plaintiff, appeal to Rome and necessitate a postponement for at least two years of final adjudication.

This moves Editor Reedy to relieve his pent-up emotion in print. He does so by treating the Archbishop from a sociologic standpoint. After showing that the Archbishop is doing a monumental work in the prevention of divorce by making marriage difficult, he says:

"Now, any man who, through his position, can do so much to convince the discoverers of affinities of the cynic's truth that marriage is hell, as Archbishop Kain has done and is doing, deserves the plaudits of a highly moral people. The higher results the Archbishop, The only To obviate this serious difficulty Mr.

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EDITOR REEDY ON

ARCHBISHOP KAIN, The company of the co

DAUTH DISCHARGED.

Judge Murphy Denies Schimdt's Right to Prosecute.

For the crime which it is alleged he con

mitted ten years ago John Dauth was dis-charged in the Court of Criminal Correction Thursday.
T. J. Schmidt of 2019 South Second street

T. J. Schmidt of 2019 South Second street was the prosecuting witness.

Ten years ago Schmidt was in charge of a branch office of the Donk Bros. Coal Co., at the foot of Lesperance street. One day Schmidt left Dauth alone in the office for a few minutes. When he returned Dauth was gone, as was also \$75 which had been left in the money drawer.

Schmidt never saw Dauth again until Monday when he recognized him, and, calling a policeman, had him arrested.

Judge Murphy said in discharging the defendant that it was not because of the statute of limitation, for Dauth had been a fugitive from justice. But the money was not Schmidt's. It belonged to the firm for which he worked, and they are the ones who should prosecutes

ROW OVER BEER MONEY. Ex-Mayor of Brooklyn Arrested for

Assaulting a Driver.

lector for the Helms Brewing Association in East St. Louis, caused the arrest Wednes-day of Fred F. Vanderberger, ex-Mayor of Brooklyn, on a charge of assault and bat-tery Brooklyn, on a charge of assault and battery
Vanderberger was arrested and gave bond
for appearance in Justice Wyatt's court
Saturday.
Soba says he delivered six kegs of beer
at Vanderberger's saloon in Brooklyn Wednesday and asked payment. Vanderberger,
ho alleges, knocked him down with a baseball bat. Soba says Vanderberger then
jumped over the counter and kicked him.
Vanderberger claims he was forced to
knock out Boba in self-detense.

"How do you simplify and how do you unify?"

"This way: Under the old system of booking, the house manager and the company manager met in New York and came to terms. The house manager's purpose was to fill the dates at his theater with attractions that would please the public and put money in his purse. The company manager wanted to make a route that would be profitable. One company might be booked for a date that another company needed to perfect its route and a trade would have to be made. Of course that meant expense. For instance, A would want to play in St. Louis on the dates preempted by B. A would pay B, and B would go elsewhere, possibly buying from C. If they could not come to terms there was confusion and sometimes a lawsuit. This lack of system led to throat-cutting and foolish and unprofitable rivalries. Two attractions of the same sort would appear in the same town at the same time and both would lose money. Suppose DeWolf Hopper should appear at the Olympic and Francis Wilson at the Century the same week, what would be the result?

"Under the system organized by Mr. Hayman these clashes of interest are impossible. A company manager goes to the New York office and asks for a route. It is given to him complete. There are no open dates, no long jumps, and no conflicts with other attractions of the same class. Everybody saves money and the public gets a large variety of shows."

"It is not true. Every one of the actors cited as having entered into the alleged new ombination is booked by us for next season. That circumstance refutes the statement alluded to.

"In our organization there are fifty-two theaters distributed among thirty cities. I will give you a list of them."

New York—Knickerbocker, Garrick, Garden and Empire.

Brooklyn—Columbia, Montauk and Grand. Williamsburgh—Gayety Theater.

Philadelphia—Chestnut Street Operahouse, Chestnut Street Theater. Find and Ford's.

Washington—Lafayette Square Operahouse, Columbia National Theater and Academy of Music.

FIVE-YEAR-OLD .. SHERRY WINE. Pure, good and healthful, regular price \$1.50 gal., \$4.00 CONRAD'S, 620 Locust. 2712 Franklin Av. & Delmar, sear Taylor.

St. Paul Metropolitan,
Atlanta—Grand Opera-house.
New Orleans—Academy of Music and St.
Charles Theater.
Memphis—Grand Opera-house.
Nashville—Masonic Theater.
Louisville—Macauley's.
St. Louis-The Century and the Olympic.
Cincinnati—Grand Opera-house and Walnut Street.

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Chicago—The Columbia and Hooley's.
Milwaukee—Davidson's Theater.
St. Paul—Metropolitan.
Minneapolis—Metropolitan.
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Minneapolis—Theater Opera-house.
Salt Lake—Salt Lake Theater.
San Francisco—Baldwin and New California Theaters.
Los Angeles—Los Angeles Theater.
Denver—Tabor Grand Opera-house.
Omaha—The Creighton Theater.
Indianapolis—The English Opera-house.
Toledo—Valentine Theater.
Columbus—Great Southern and Grand Opera-house.

Toledo—Valentine Theater.
Columbus—Great Southern and Grand
Opera-house.
Cleveland—Euclid Avenue Opera-house
and Lyceum.
Pittsburg—The Alvin Theater.
"What should be done," resumed Mr.
Davis, "is to lengthen engagements. There
are not enough high-class attractions to fill
all the dates, and the result is that a house
like the Century must occasionally offer
dollar shows at dollar-and-a-haif rates. We
don't like to do it, because it is not profitable, but we can't help it. This theater is
open forty weeks and the Olympic is open
forty. The custom is to change the attractions weekly. That means eighty changes.
Now, there are not eighty first-class shows
in the world. St. Louis is big enough to
justify high-class attractions remaining two
weeks. Take Miss Nethersole, for instance.
She would draw for two, weeks. So would
Nat Goodwin; so would Sol Smith Russell,
or Fanny Davenport or Willard or John
Hare."
"Will you introduce the two-weeks' run

or Fanny Davenport or Willard or John Hare."
"Will you introduce the two-weeks' run custom at the Century next season?"

Mr. Davis pondered over this question, then said he probably would, if the public indicated a disposition to encourage it.

GOT BACK THE CLOTHES.

Between a Tailor and Creditor. Ex-Special City Counselor F. G. Cockrel of East St. Louis and former Postmaster of that place rushed into police headquarters at 10:30 o'clock Thursday and demanded at 10:30 o'clock Thursday and demanded protection. He told Chief Ganey he was the object of bitter persecution at the hands of his former tailor, Isaac Toporowski of 30 Collinsville avenue.

He said that he met Toporowski on Missouri avenue and the tailor dunned him for file due on a suit of clothing made four months ago. Cockrell wanted to argue points with the tailor about the declaration in the bill, but insisted that Toporowski declined to take "wind" and proceeded to rifle his pockets. The attorney jerked away and flew to the police station.

While he was telling his troubles Mr. Toporowski entered and the quarrel was renewed with so much vigor that Roundsman Wright threatened to lock up both belligerents. The attorney and the tailor finally compromised by an agreement that Toporowski should accompany Cockrell to his room and take possession of the suit of clothing. They then left the station together.

Mr. Toporowski denias that he endeavored to forcibly take Cockrell's money.

AMUSEMENTS. This Week, the Great ROSSOW MIDGETS 25c MAT And 39 Star Acts.

Next Sunday Matinee—THE TORNADO.

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Stock Company in The Octoroon. the Great Drame. The Octoroon. YAUDEVILLE Frantz Family, Ben Harnsy, YAUDEVILLE Tyrette Violette. Tom Lewis, Chas. Ernest and many others. 10c, 20c, 20c. CENTURY THEATER.

MATINEE SATURDAY.

The Comedy Hit of the Season,

MY FRIEND FROM INDIA. HILARIOUS FUN FROM RISE TO FALL OF CURTAIN. Next Sunday—"TOO MUCH JOHNSON." 14TH STREET THEATER-14th and Le

JOSEPH MURPHY.
Presenting To-Night, Friday, Saturday
and 50c Saturday Matinee,

SHAUN RHUE. Popular prices will prevail. Next Week—THE NANCY HANKS. CASH \$5.00 and

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and everything for housekeeping 50 per cent cheap-er than any house up town. Take the Broadway cable care to FRITSCH'S

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> Theater for Young Girls. The Theater for Young Girls, founded last year in Paris by Mme. Marie Samary, is Woman Suffrage in the United States

In the United States twenty-eight State and territories have given women some form of suffrage.

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AMUSEMENTS.

OLYMPIC. MATHERDAY. LILIPUTIANS MERRY TRAMPS.

TO-DAY THE SALE OF SEATS BEGINS FOR CHARLES HOPPER SUNDAY.

MARCH I4TH. .. CHIMMIE FADDEN. THE HAGAN HIGH-CLASS
VAUDEVILLE
MATRIES BARY.

J. K. ÉMMET and CRILID.
THE ACME FOUR.
MATTRIE VICKERS.
LIZEIE and VINNIE DALT.
And a Peerless Vaudeville and
of 12 Other Acts.
Parquet Reserved, Night Only, Soc.

EXPOSITION MUSIC HALL

FOUR NIGHTS ONLY AND ONE MATINEE

Metropolitan Opera soc., and enti-tra, comprising 65 musicians. NG MONDAY EVE, MARCH 23, "FAUST." th the ideal cast, including Mmss. Calvs, Ban-neister and Mantelli, MM. Ed de Reszks, Cam-nari, Viviani and Jean de Reszks. Conducted

"LES HUCUENOTS." Mines. Literinos, Mantelli, Bauermeister and Jementine de Vere. M.M. Cremouini, Ancun-Jancon, Bara, Viviani, De Vaschetti, Vanna and de Reaske. Conductor, Sig. Revignani. Vedaceday Matines, March 24, at Popular Prince Railnes, Veril's Opera,

Miss Sophic Transmann, Mmes. Van Canteran and Olitzaka. Rigs. Campanari, Vaschetti, Vanni, Coni and Coppi. Gooductor, Rig. Berigmani.
Prices for Wednesday matines, \$1, \$1.50, \$5; boxes, \$15. "CARMEN."

Mmes. Caire, Bauermeister, Van Cauteran and laria Engle. MM. Salignae, De Vries, Bars, Vis-nii, Corsi and Lassalle. Com. Sig. Mancinelli. Thursday Evening, March 25, Wagner's Opens, 4*81EGFRIED.*7

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MUSIC HALL, Thursday Evening, March II.

Releist-RISS ADELAIDE EALKRAN, Sprang of
EL Louis and STNFHONY ORGHINATEA.

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Phinary rests 60s, 7s and \$1.07 so pallman's.



ILLINOIS REPUBLICANS WOULD SHUT OFF FUSION.

DEMOCRATS WILL PROTEST.

The Chicago Street Railway Magnates Present Their Objections to

Certain Bills.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 11.-The their meeting yesterday to prevent in the derson. Immediately after the adjournment of the session, when all the members were tired out, the meeting was called by Chairtired out, the meeting was called by Chairman Sherman. Few Democrats put themselves in evidence, as they did not know that one of the most important bills of the session was to be considered. Mr. Alschuler of Kane County was one of the few Democrats who happened to be in attendance. He spoke against the measure, and the unfairness of the Republicans prompted Selby and others to try and shut off the speaker. Alschuler went at the Republicans single handed and showed how undemocratic and un-American the contemplated law would be.

un-American the contemplated law would be. The measure provides that the names of candidates shall not be placed upon the ballot more than once for the same office or under more than once for the same office or under more than one party appellation or title.

Mr. Alschuler said: "I do not wish this bill to go out of this committee without a protest. Although in one or two States bills of this character since the last election have been passed. I do not mean to allow a measure of this character to be reported out of this committee or passed in the House without raising my voice in protest. If this bill was to abolish any ring system I would favor it, but it does not seek to do that; its mission is to preventuse in the measure, the same were allowed to appear on the ballot under more than one party head. I consider this measure an entering wedge to prevent free ballot. Look well, ponder long and weigh carefully this measure, for it is a retrogressive movement. I hope that any person who respects his conscience above the party lash will vote against it."

The bill was then ordered out with favorable recommendation.

This same committee in the contested election case of J. A. Kirby, Republican.

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House Proceedings.

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SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 11.—Representative Craig offered a joint resolution in the House providing for submission at the next election of the question of calling a constitutional convention. Rowe's constitutional amendment resolution for the abolishment of police courts came up and all resolutions relating to constitutional amendments were made special orders for March 16.

A bill introduced by Large provides that convict labor shall be employed in manuacturing articles needed in State institutions, and material for hard roads to be apportioned among the townships of the state.

Kankakee Hospital Trustees.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 11.—Gov.
Tauner appointed the following trustees of
the Eastern Illinois Insane Hospital at
Kankakee: Len Small. Kankakee: John J.
Magee, Chicago; George S. Buckingham,
Janville.

Tributes to the Dead.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 11.—Resolutions of tribute to the memory of Wells of Quincy and Herb of Alton were offered in the Senate. Laudatory speeches will be made next Tuesday, when the resolutions come up for adoption.

Blacklist Penalties. al to the Post-Dispatch SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 11.—Representative Allen of Randolph introduced a bill fixing a penalty of from \$100 to \$500 for railroads and other corporations which blacklist discharged employes.

INDEPENDENT TICKET. It Will Be Put Out If Deemed Neces

BALY. A joint committee of the Civic Federation, Business Men's League, Commercial Club, Old Soldiers' Civic League and Wheelmen's Political Club is arranging a list of 1,000 names of qualified voters to go on a petition for an independent ticket on election day, provided the tickets put up by the Republicans and Democrats do not come up to the standard deemed necessary by this joint committee.

the standard deemed necessary by this t committee, is claimed that these organisations be ready to name a complete indedent ticket on March 2, provided the two party conventions on Saturday, March lominate unsuitable men.

Force W. Parker and Gen. John W. mer are mentioned as acceptable as the pendent Mayoralty candidate if an incentive of the composed we men, is at work for the Civic Federal examining the records of all names for Republican and Democratic nomitions for House of Delegates. The evices is furnished by the ward captains

PROTEST FILED.

Commissioners Asked to Bule Out an IT COST HIM HIS PLACE. Eighth Ward Delegation.

James M. McGill, President of the Dele-rated Republican Precinct Committee of the gated Republican Precinct Committee or the Eighth Ward, protested to the Election Commissioners Thursday against the Republican delegations filed from his ward. 'He says by agreement of the Executive Committee of the Good Government League of the ward and the Precinct Committee, a mass meeting was held at Wrensmann's Hall, Warren and Kossuth avenues, Friday night.

a mass meeting was need at Wreinsam, and the light.

They selected their delegates by ballot, and it took till 2 a. m. The names selected were Lewis Koehr, Louis Varwig, Gus Kaminsky, S. J. Wheeler, B. J. Townsend, George W. Strathman, E. L. Hamlin, H. F. Stanley, Jerry Harris, James M. McGill, H. F. Wransmann and Herman Poehler.

He says Strathman's name is the only one which was not substituted by another on the delegation as filed. He charges that the change was made at Starkloff headquarters at the instance of Eckhard Wind, and the names of petitioners, his own among the number, cut off the original petition and pasted on the new one.

Secretary Saunders told him if he could get enough men to swear to this to bring the number of petitioners below twenty the delegation would be thrown out. He left promising to do so.

REED'S DEFENSE

FAYETTE SENSATION.

Arrested by the Federal Authorities.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. FAYETTE, Mo., March 11.—Some time struck the chair, and two of the tines were ago John D. Tolson, Jr., a son of John D. Tolson, the Postmaster, ran out of the Post-Office calling to Charles W. Fuchs, a leading merchant and Republican politician MARRIAGE LICENSES.

of this city, who was just leaving the of-Young Tolson demanded of Fuchs that he give up a letter that young Tolson claimed he (Fuchs) had taken from the locked box of J. R. Deatherags, Mayor of the city. Mr. Fuchs denied having a letter, and a fight ensued in which Fuchs came out second best and Tolson with a letter addressed in a bold hand to His Honor, the Mayor of Fayette. Fuchs declared that he did not know the letter was in his pocket and stated in an interview that it was a foul scheme of Tolson, who is a personal enemy of Fuchs, to defeat him (Fuchs) for the Postmastership under McKinley.

A few days after this episode a Deputy Post-Office Inspector arrived from St. Louis, remained one day and left without taking any action, so far as could be learned. Yesterday afternoon Deputy United States Marshal J. W. Johnson arrived, placed Fuchs under arrest and summoned many witnesses to appear before the United State Commissioner at Jefferson City temorrow afternoon. Young Tolson demanded of Fuchs that he

WILL GET TO WORK SOON. A. P. Tullock Will Push Third Bridge

Matters on His Arrival. Postmaster M. M. Stephens of East St. Louis said Thursday that ex-Congressman Ben T. Cable's visit to St. Louis Wednesda Ben T. Cable's visit to St. Louis Wednesds had no connection with the projected third bridge. "I did not see Mr. Cable and did not know that he was to be here," said Mr. Stephens. "I heard of his visit after he was gone. We have late assurances from Mr. Cable that we will experience no difficulty in securing the money to build the bridge. We are expecting A. P. Tullock from Leavenworth, Kan., in a few days, and when he comes we will take hold of the matter in earnest. Mr. Tullock is a thorough bridge builder and a leading member of our company, and we can do nothing until he comes."

Unlicensed Liquor Sellers. Warrants were issued Thursday against homas, alias Snake, Kinney, and James aniels. They are charged with selling nor without a license.

Excursion to Eureka Springs. Crescent Hetel now open. Call at St. L. S. F. ticketsoffice, ist North Broadway.

IT IS EASY TO GET AT VALUES.

OSCAR W. BLEECK TELLS HOW TO MAKE ASSESSMENTS.

He Assessed Property at Its Real

Value and Was Forced to Resign.

A way to secure fair assessments in St. Louis and the State is pointed out by Oscar W. Bleeck, a surveyor at 100e Chestnut street. Mr. Bleeck was a district assessor directly after the war and again in 1877, just after the City Charter went into effect. He is the district assessor mentioned by Assessor A. H. Frederick as having once attempted to assess all property its full value, with the revision office. Assessor Frederick made the statement in the same connection in Tuesday's Post-Dispatch that it was impossible to arrive exactly at actual values and that they were being approximated as closely as possible already.

Mr. Bleeck knows that assessments can be made to conform to the law because it has been done in spite of the arguments of those unwilling to make the necessary changes. He explained to a Post-Dispatch reporter how it was done up to 1878.

"I became a District Assessor directly after the war," said Mr. Bleeck. "At the time we were not sworn to assess property at its full or cash value. The rate established was 80 per cent. But to figure this we were compelled to ascertain the full value.

"We accomplished it easily and there is nothing to prevent it being arrived the argument is not a second and the second as a complished it easily and there is nothing to prevent it being arrived the argument.

famed, and the assessments made at a unform proportion of the full value, the reserve would be increased by at least one-half. As it is, the property of some classes of citizens is assessed at less than one-third its full value, while similar property belonging to other classes is assessed at 50 percent, others at 50 per cent and others within 10 per cent of total."

DROPPED HER FORK.

A Prominent Republican Politician Miss Annie Busch Caught at It and Got Hurt.

Miss Annie Busch of 1221 Washington avenue, a seamstress, was eating breakfast Thursday morning when she dropped her fork. She tried to catch it. The handle

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Pure 18k wedding rings. Our prices the lowest. E. Jaccard Jewelry Co., Olive and

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Didn't Follow Murphy's Advice. A purse containing \$11.55 and a safety de-posit key was anatched from the hand of Mrs.S. E. Brandt of 201 Eugenia street Wednesday afternoon as she was on Twen-ty-second street. The thief escaped.

Fire Damage at a Shoe Store.



THANKS!

For Your Kind Appreciation of Our Birthday Display. Now We Settle Down to Business and Give as Always

THE BEST GOODS AT LOWEST PRICES.

Friday's Leaders Are Echoes of Anniversary Week.

Embroideries. Special sale in

Embroidery Department for Friday in Manufacturer's Sample Strip and Manufacturer's Short Lengths in fine Nainsook Matched Goods.

6-inch wide Hamburg Em-broidery, worth 12c; per yard 41/2-inch wide Margin Embroidery, worth 9c; per yard 5-inch wide Swiss Pin Dot Embroidery, worth 20c; per yard 9-inch wide Hamburg Skirting, 9-inch wide Swiss Skirting,

Cloak and Suit Departm't.

We are showing in this Greatly Improved Department the choicest assortment of ready-to-wear garments ever brought to St. Louis. Five items—Anniversary Week Leaders—to open the season with, that will pay you to come and see Friday.

SEPARATE DRESS SKIRTS. Do you want a fine novelty Skirt, a skirt that is cut perfect, good lining, velveteen bound; they were bought to sell for \$4.00. \$2.75 They go Friday for only

Suits, tailor made, from Wool Serge, blazer effect jacket, skirt lined and velyeteen bound; they would be good value for \$6.00.

SILK SHIRT WAISTS. Foulard silk lined all through, detachable collar, correct in every \$3.50 detail; good value at \$5.00—Special for Friday at............ WRAPPERS.

CHILDREN'S REEFER JACKETS. Wool material, collar and cuffs trimmed with two rows of white braid: 98c they come in Navy Blue only—Special for Friday.....

Silks. The verdict of every critical visitor during our display has been that we've outdone even our own former record, that no such silks, in quality, design or price are for sale anywhere but at Barr's.

\$1.10

Gloves. An anniversary week leader in Gloves is worthy spe-

\$16,447.22 WORTH OF

With Blue Rim, bought from THE SIMMOMS HARDWARE COMPANY at about 10c on the Dollar.

This Celebrated Ware was imported by the SIMMONS HARDWARE CO. FROM GERMANY, and while in transit \$16,447.22 worth was more or less defaced, and as it could not be returned to the makers, they came to us and asked for an offer for the whole lot, and knowing as we did that no other St. Louis firm could handle such a large quantity, we offered about 10c on the dollar, which was accepted. This, we feel, is the greatest bargain purchase we have ever made in this line, and know that it is the greatest Bargain Sale that we have ever arranged for our customers.

The lot consists of the following pieces, all of which are marked about the price of common tinware: Bowls, Seamless Water Palls, Skimmers, Dish Pans, Pudding Dishes, Soup Plates, Dinner Plates, Cups and Saucers, Mugs, Ladles, Wash Basins, Water Pitchers, Milk Pans, Tea Pots, Covered Buckets, Lipped Sauce Pans, Bailed Kettles, Tea Kettles, Spout Coffee Pots, Oval Meat Dishes, etc. NOTE-Mail Orders Filled as long as the goods last.

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9-18-pint size, man-cturer's price,\$1.10; rr's price, 220

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White Enameled Steel Milk Pans

1114-pint size, manu-



Barr's price,

White Enameled 30½-pint size, manu-acturer's price, \$2.50; facturer Barr's price, 550 Steel Seamless Water Pails-12-qt. size, manufacturer's price, \$2.50; Barr's price, 55C 37½-pint size, manuacturer's price, \$2.75;

58c 444-pint size, manufacturer's price, \$3.00; Barr's price, \$660



Steel Soup Plates8%-inch size, manufacturer's price, Sic;
Barr's price, TC

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White Enameled Steel Mugs with lip— 1½-pint sise, manu-facturer's price, 40c; Barr's price, IIC 2-pint size, manu-facturer's price, 50c; Barr's price,

11%-inch size, manu-acturer's price, 80c; Barr's price, 13C 4-pint size, manufacturer's price, 60c; Barr's price,



11-inch size, manufacturer's price, 60c; Barr's price,

12%-inch size, manu-acturer's price, 85c; facturer s Barr's price, 16C





White Enameled teel-Lipped Sauce

34-pint size, manu-facturer's price, 650 ea.; Barr's price, 13c

9¼-pint size, manu-facturer's price, \$1.12 ea.; Barr's price,

20c

514-inch size, manufacturer's price, 35c; Barr's price, 7c each 71/4-inch size, manu-facturer's price, 60c; Barr's price,

10c each

8-inch size, manu-facturer's price, 70c; Barr's price, 13c each

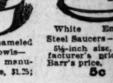


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facturer's price, \$1.35; 30c 144-inch size, manu-acturer's price, \$1.85;



514-inch size, manu-facturer's price. 22c; Barr's price.

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NOTE: Bear in mind this ware is the finest, neatest, cleanest enameled made for kitchen use and wears twice as long as any other ware made.

64-pint size manu-acturer's price, \$1.70; arr's price, 37c

WIDOW'S FRUITLESS SEARCH. Mrs. Charles E. Eggleston Could Not

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Find Her Husband's Body. The body of Charles E. Eggleston, the story of whose mysterious death at St. John's Hospital was told in the Post-Dispatch Tuesday and Wednesday, was shipped to Cincinnati last night for interment, that city having been the home of the family prior

Cincinnati last night for interment, that city having been the home of the family prior to their removal to Chicago.

Mrs. Grace Sheldon Eggleston, widow of the young man, who it is believed committed suicide, did not see the body of her husband before it left the city.

"I have called at Smithers & Waggoner's undertaking establishment a half-dozen times and have been denied admittance," she said Wednesday night.

"In the morning Mr. Waggoner told me the body was not in a condition to be looked at; at I p. m. he said the same; at 2 o'clock he told me to return at 3 o'clock, and at that hour he said I should be back at 4 o'clock. Then he finally said I could not view the body at all; that Mr. Eggleston had paid all the bills, and I had no business with it."

Mrs. Eggleston called at the Post-Dispatch Wednesday night and brought a certificate, which reads that Grace Sheldon and Charles E. Eggleston were married at Tuscon, Ariz. on April 2. 1896. She also showed letters from Eggleston's mother, in which the parents urged that she exert a wife's influence in keeping their son from drinking.

A Post-Dispatch reporter accompanied her to the undertaking establishment at 6 o'clock Wednesday night. Mr. Smithers said the body was gone. Mrs. Eggleston became hysterical, and it was half an hour before she could control herself sufficiently to return home. Mr. Smithers said that I't ahe had furnished the proof earlier in the day, she could have seen the corpse; that Mr. Waggoner had been led to believe that she had no legal claim.

The widow will not tell where she resides at present, but says it is not 200 Chastnut st.

tral Railroad had granted him special rates on grain shipments. The Assistant General Freight Agent was convicted, and sentenced to two years' imprisonment, in addition to a heavy fine. It being the first case, the Pres-ident pardoned the offender.

JEFF STORTS ACQUITTED. The Supreme Court Holds' That He Didn't Rob His Friend.

The case of Jeff Storts, convicted in th The case of Jeff Storts, convicted in the Criminal Court of grand larceny and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary, was reversed by the Supreme Court Wednesday and the discharge of Storts ordered. Storts was arrested in the fail of 1856 on complaint of David Norton, one of his friends from Shannon County, who alleged that while in Jennie Snyder's house in Storts' company, he was robbed of 1300. Storts and the Snyder woman were indicted for grand larceny and were convicted at the April term of court. The defendants filed a motion for a new trial. After having the matter of the new trial under advisement for two months Judge Edmunds overruled the motion in Storts' case, but granted the woman a new trial. Storts immediately took an appeal to the Supreme Court.

Storts contends that his arrest and indictment on the charge of robbery were due to the exertions of Chief Harrigan, who, he says, was actuated by a spirit of retalisation for Storts' attitude in appearing as a witness for Attorney Lou McGinnis, as witness for Attorney Lou McGinnis, who had instituted a suit for 130,000 damages against the Chief and several members of the Police Department for malicious arrest and imprisonment. Storts, in his brief, to the Supreme Court, cited, as a peculiar'co-incidence, the fact that Judge Edmunds had kept under advisement the motion for a new trial for himself and the Snyder woman from Feb. 29 until May 12, on which date the damage suit of Attorney McGinnis came up for trial at Hillsboro, Mc. On that date Judge Edmunds granted the woman a new trial, but overruled the motion as to Storts, virtually finding him guilty of the crime. Criminal Court of grand larceny and sen

SAVED FROM POTTER'S FIELD.

Mrs. Kate Armstrong's Relatives Will Take Charge of Her Remains.

Kate Armstrong, who died Tuesday at Mrs. Blanke's boarding house at 1107 Bouth Beventh street, may not be buried in Potter's Field. Mrs. Blanke received a letter Thursday morning from Attorney L. J. Dryden of Warrenton, Mo. Mr. Dryden says den of Warrenton, Mo. Mr. Dryden says that he read an account of Mrs. Armstrong's death in the Post-Dispatch. He believes the woman was the daughter of the late A. A. Stewart of Warrenton, and she had an interest of 1800 or 1,000 in the Stewart estate now in litigation there. A woman who called herself Mrs. Ford visited Mrs. Blanke Wednesday night and told her that Mrs. Armstrong was Stewart's daughter. Mrs. J. A. Hurt of Auburn, Ky., is said to be Mrs. Armstrong's daughter. She will arrive in St. Louis Thursday night. Mr. Blanke has instructed the City Undertaker to his has instructed the City Undertaker to held the body until Mrs. Armstrong's relatives claim it. Her husband has not yet responded to letters notifying him of his wife's death.

Tyler Place Presbyterians A meeting of the Tyler Place Presbyic Church congregation was held Wedne evening at 300 Flad avenue, the tomps place of worship, to take steps toward erection of a building. A committee sisting of Messrs. Charles Hoke, Wil Bonsack, John B. Reder and E. E. Mewas appointed to select a location and vise ways and means of raising the from the district tween Grand and Vandeventer, Cleve and Russell avenues.

Tried to Carve Her Mother.

Building Parmits

3¼-pint size, manu-

mann, west side Tenti Lemp and Wisconsin, one-story brick store; \$1,500. Hartmann & Beekmann, contractors.

J. A. Thornalli, cast side Jefferson, between Dickson and Cass, two-story brick store and flats; \$2,500.

August Desters, cast side Conds, between August Desters, cast side Conds, between College and Warns, two-story brick dwains; \$1,500. J. D. Rupp, contractor.

Save Your Money.

One box of Tutt's Pills will save many dollars in doctors' bills They will surely cure all diseases of the stomach, liver or bowels. No Reckless Assertion
For sick headache, dyspepsia,
malaria, constipation and hillousness, a million people endone
TUTT'S Liver PILLS

a small company of friends.

Miss Mamie Jennings entertained a number of her friends with a dance last Monday breeing at her frome, 2008 Bacon street.

Mrs. W. C. Lindsey held a most entertaining social scance at her home, 5967 Horton blace, Friday evening in honor of Miss Trowdis of Nashville, Tenn. It was quite a refreshing knovation. Instead of the ster-botyped progressive cuche, conundrums writted upon exquisite cards were answered a ingenious and curious responses by the quests. The entertainment was spiced also with recitations and music and on the whole offered a most interesting repertoire.

The Young People's League of St. John's dethedist Church South gave an informal ecoption Tuesday evening. Among the nembers are Miss Maxie Gibson, Miss Mabel vis, Misses Lulu Francis and Pilcher.

The Tuesday fursicale gave a reception on useday evening at their rooms, Miss Aus e Ohe being the guest of honor.

Mrs. T. E. Frice, Southern Hotel, and firs. Med Johnson of West Morgan street re at Hot Springs.

Mrs. B. J. Gentry of Atlanta, Ga., is vising her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Herry, 387 Delmar boulevard, and will be thome to friends Tuesday and Thursday fitsernoons.

The Imperial Euchre Club was enter-

at home to friends Tuesday and Thursday afternoons.

The Imperial Euchre Club was entertained Saturday night by Miss Pauline Shuman at her home, 4644 Garfield avenue. Miss Nellie Cloud and Mr. Charles Bergemieler won first prises. Miss Mabel Leahy and Mr. Harris French were awarded the consolation prizes. The boobles were captured by Miss Maymie Leahy and Mr. Julius Shuman. A delightful supper was served at 12 o'clock. Owing to the Lenten season the next meeting has been postponed.

An enjoyable surprise calico party was tendered to Miss Laura M. Hamilton of 282 Henrietta street. The young ladies were beautifully attired in delicate shades of calico. The evening was spent in dancing and various games, among which was the doffkey party. The prizes were won by Miss Evalyn Bryan, Miss Mayble Benedict, Miss May Shipman, Harold Orth, Boone Bryan and Roy Kesl.

Miss Mollie Kehoe of 3461 West Walnut street left last evening for a two months' stay at Leavenworth, Kan. While there she will be the guest of Miss Marguerite Hagan.

Miss Jessie Wood of 2613 St. Louis avenue

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Miss Jessie Wood of 2613 St. Louis avenue is visiting her father, J. B. Wood of Alton. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Crouch and two children of 4001 Delmar boulevard left Saturday for the City of Mexico, via San Antonio.
Mr. Edward S. Abeles is spending this week with his parents in West Morgan street. Mr. Abeles is a member of the company playing this week at the Century, and is a well-known St. Louis boy.
Mrs. F. A. Bensberg has gone to house-keeping at 4013 Olive street, where her mother, Mrs. Rachel Haldeman, is her guest.

west.

Miss Marie Haldeman is in New Orleans.
Among the St. Louisans who have sumper homes in Arcadia and will go there arly in the season are Dr. and Mrs. Otto Orater. Mrs. Joseph Garneau, Mrs. Shapsigh, Mrs. Shelby, Mrs. Socrates Newman, frs. Gower, Mrs. A. T. Ewald. the Swift amily, Gen. Turner and family, and Mr. V. C. Thompson and family.

Mrs. M. A. Jacobs, formerly Mrs. Jen-

Anæmia means "want of blood," a deficiency in the red corpuscles of the blood. Its cause is found in want of sufficient food, dyspepsia, lack of exercise or breathing impure air. With it is a natural repugnance to all fat foods. Scott's Emulsion is an easy food to get fat from and the easiest way of taking fat. It makes the blood rich in just those elements necessary to robust health, by supplying it with red cor-

For sale at 50 cents and \$1.00 by all dropping. SCOTT & SOWIE, New York

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Wiedmaier-Wilmot.

Miss Helen C. Wilmot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wilmot, of 457 Cook avenue, will be married to-day, Thursday atternoon, at 5:30 o'clock, to Mr. August Wiedmaier, of this city. The ceremony will be quiet, as it is the Lenten season, the wedding having been set for the date and hour given on account of it being the thirtieth anniversary of the marriage of the bride's parents.

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The ceremony will take place in the parlor, Miss Annunciata Sabina singing the benediction, and a friend of the bride's playing Mendelssohn's wedding march during the ceremony, which will be performed by Rev. M. D. Gorin, of the Cook Avenue Preabyterian Church.

The parlors will be handsomely decked in Easter colors, the mantels banked with violets, and the doors and chandellers draped with smilax.

The bride will wear a simple robe of fine white organdic over white taffeta silk, the high bodice appliqued in Vandyke point lace, her veil being fastened with a diamond star. She will carry a shower bouquet of lilles of the valley and roses. The bride's mother, who will stand near her, will have a gown of lavender brocade, elaborately trimmed with black thread lace, and carry a bouquet of violets. A supper will follow the ceremony. Only the immediate family and near connections of the young couple will be present. Among them will be Mr. and Mrs. B. Wiedmaler, the parents of the bridegroom, and his sister. Miss Birdle, from St. Joseph, Mo.; Mrs. A. E. Gilman of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wiley and daughter, Neva, from Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Wiedmaier will go to housekeeping immediately at 4341 Finney avenue.

A cough needs quick and effective treat nent. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup furnishes this.

SHE KNOWS HER ALMANAC.

An Excited Woman Advises the Dis-

pensary Staff to Be Alert. The tornado warnings stuck up around

The tornado warmings stuck up around town caused a good many persons to telephone anxiously to the City Dispensary for more detailed information, and Clerk John Pearsoll was kept busy reassuring them in his suavest tones, but the worst tornado "bug" did not ring up until late Wednesday afternoon.

alarmed. Her voice betrayed that,
"Have extra ambulances and doctors ready," she cried, "a cyclone is coming."
"How do you know?" saked Mr. Pearsoll,
"It says so in the almanao."
"Be of good cheer. We are prepared for all emergencies. Who are you?"
There was no answer. The hysterical female had hung up the phone and sought her cyclone cellar.

AIMED AT TRUSTS.

New York Bill to Stop Campaign Con-. tributions.

Special to the Post-Diapatch.

ALBANY, N. Y., March II.—Representative Sanger has introduced in the Assembly a bill providing that no corporations other than those organised wholly or in part for social or political purposes, and no officer or again thereof, shall contribute to any campaign fund. Violation of the act is a missessanor. It is an affort to keep trusts out

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MAR. FULLA MOPETTE TO WIND

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OUTTE A TOUCH OF ROMANCE.

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widow of two days, childless and alone, is dying of pneumonia at the City Hospital.

For more than thirty years she and her husband, Jeremiah Richardson, made St.

For more than thirty years she and her husband, Jersmiah Richardson, made St. Louis their home. Richardson was a brick-layer and worked until he became too feeble. They lived in South St. Louis and on the little they had been able to save and the aid received from the Bricklayers' Union, they lived.

A few weeks ago they moved to 2602 Natural Bridge road.

"Then our troubles began," said the white-haired woman. "We had been there but three days when my husband was seized by pneumonia fever. A few days later I was stricken with the same disease. We were unable to help ourselves and a woman who made her home with us for her board cared for us.

"One night, a little more than a week ago, a robber ransacked the hole. I saw him through our room. I raises up in my bed, but in the dark I thought it was the woman who was helping us. I spoke to the figure, but it moved on without replying. The woman I knew was a somnambulist, and I thought it was the.

"Next morning we found out that we had been robbed. We only had \$12, but we could ill afford to lose that.

"Tuesday my husband died, He was buried yesterday, We had no money, but the Bricklayers' Union took charge of the funefal, I feel that I will die too, and the union that buried my husband will lay me by-his side. I am all alone in the world. All our children are dead and I have nothing to live for."

FACTORIES SHUT DOWN.

Large Number of Employes Thrown Out.

SOUTHINGTON, Conn., March 11 .- All of Co., manufacturing edge tools and general hardware, have shut down indefinitely. This throws out of employment a large number of hands, who for the past six months have been working on a short schedule. The Actna Nut Co.'s nut works and rolling mills are also at a standstill and the works of the Southington Cutlery Co. are running on short time. factories of the Beck, Stowe & Wilcon

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is Galen B. Hitt Dead.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 11.—Hon. Galen R. Hitt, a noted criminal lawyer and an ex-member of the State Legislature was found in an unconscious condition on the floor of his room at his residence at Round Lake at 5 o'clock this morning and died at 7 o'clock without having regained consciousness. The cause was apoplexy.

"Away With Melancholy, and bid dull care avaumt," sounds very well it erse, but if you have a case of the "blues" aused by indigestion, with billiousness added of eaused by indigestion, with billousness added on as an extra horror, you cannot say hay! prestol and thus hance the departure of those abominable twins. The "proper caper" when thus troubled is to seek the ald of Hostetter's Stomach Bittern. Thereafter you will apsedtly digest with case and eat with appetite, and your liver will reasser its right to regularity. Not only this, you can retire without a boarble draum—impose itself upon the pit of your stomach. It you feel presnonitory symptoms of chills and favor, taken trouble, or rheumants will—in dream—impose itself upon the pit of your stomach. It you feel presnonitory symptoms of chills and favor, taken to the resume without attam, summon the Blance to the resume without day, "lest a warre the first to the resume without day, "lest a warre the first that for the local type." A feebt dealy, "lest a warre the first that for the thin by any to a vigorous a symptom in section of the special you. A feebt dealy, "lest a warre the first that the think than by any to be mobilized again in existence. A wineplaceful three times a say."

Friday we will offer 125 Dress Pattern Lengths of Fine Quality Sateen, in blue and black grounds, with handsome figures, all strictly fast colors and 10 yards to the pattern, worth \$1.75; at the remarkable price of...... Lining Snaps.

Friday we will place on sale our entire stock of Remnants of Rustling Taffeta Skirt Lining at the ridiculous price of, per yard.

Our best quality 38-inch Haircloth,

Our best quality 38-inch Haircloth,

Butterick's Patterns Acknowledged the very best Paper Pattern in use, always in full va-riety at the "Fair."



They are finding out that the Big Bargains in Dry Goods are at "The Fair." They find our advertisements truthful and our promises reliable—and they find it possible to save money by coming to us for all their needs-whether advertised or not. If you don't see in this Friday ad. all you want, don't jump to the conclusion that we haven't got it.

HAVE you seen - those Odd Coats and Vests we are so nearly giving away? Don't wait-they are melting

away like snow.

Dress Goods.

Secured by "The Fair" in a lump for spot cash, at prices absolutely wonderful. Here are some of the specimens for Friday's Sale. Look at them—they are absolutely be-yond competition.

A few pieces Black Wool Tricotine Suiting, intended to sell 71c "The Fair" Friday for.....

18 pieces 40-inch Black Brocaded Mohair Brilliantines, imported to sell at 75c; "The Fair" sells Friday at.

A Sateen Dress for 95c.

ST. LOUIS' CREATEST DEPARTMENT STORE A New York Importer's Stock of Pillow CASES—Made Pillow Cases, 46 and 36 Inches long—71 regular value 156—In "The Fair's" Basement Friday at... CANTON FLANNEL—50 pieces bleached Canton Flannel that

SHEETING—2 cases 8-quarter unbleached Sheeting—regu-lar value 16%ca yd.—In "The 10C Fair's" Basement Friday at.

New Spring Jackets. A lot of Children's Broadcloth Reefers, in red and blue, sleeves and sallor collars trimmed in white Hercules braid, brass buttons (sizes 2 to 6), very nobby, good value at \$2.00; "The Fair" offers

Friday at

No Place Like "The Fair" for



Bargains.

15c 25 doz. Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, regular 50c value; in Friday's 25C

SEVENTH ST. AND FRANKLIN AV. 56 dos. Men's White Laundered Shirts, with colored bosoms and separate curs, in all the new styles for spring wear; intended to sell at \$1.50; "The Fair" starts them 79c

\$1.00 Gloves.

Ladies' extra quality Kid Gloves, 4 button, hook and Mousquetaire styles, in tan, brown, slate and black would be a bargain at \$1 of 5c pair. Friday at. ought to sell at 71gc a yard—
"The Fair" will sell
Friday at.

60c Diaper. Friday Sale of Children's

Corsets. bargain at 50c. 35c



Boys' Waists. Boys' Percale Shirt worth 25c each, Friday

> Thread. Coats' 200-yard spools Black and White Thread—odd num-bers—Friday (limit of 8 spools) 2C per spool.

Handkerchiefs.

Ladies' Swiss Em-

broidered and Lace Edge Handkerchiefs,

Shoes. values up to \$1.48

Coffee Mills. Well made and strong -regular 25c ones. at 15c

Ladies' Gowns. Ladies' and Misses'
Sack Gowns, well
made, of good muslin,
trimmed with lace—
worth 46c each—
Friday (limit of 23c
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offers Friday at

GINGHAMS - 60 pieces Dress
Glinghams, in very fancy and new
designs for Spring wear, good
value at 64c a yard; "The
Fair" will sell Friday at

CREPONS - 1,200 yards Mill
Lengths Orepons, all dark colors,
up to 10 yards in a piece,
worth 18c a yard; "The
Fair" sells Friday at

ORGANDIES-Mill lengths new Special Sale of **Dress Skirts**

A special lot of La-dies' Corsets, in gray and white-all model fitting and fancy fin-ished—would be a

Three items enough to tell the "The Fair" great low price stery.

Ladies' Black Brocaded Mohair Dress Skirts, 4 yards wide, well lined and bound with velveteen, good value at \$1.75;

"The Fair" 98C

100 Handsome Black Brocaded Dress Skirts, in a variety of beautiful patterns, all 4 yards wide, with rustle lining, all in latest cut and full finished, intended to seell at \$3.50;

"The Fair" \$1.98

Ladies' Latest Style All-Wool worth up to 29c each, Friday at .. 9C

Wash Goods.

175 pieces Copaline Spring Suitings, in all the new and elegant designs for spring, stripes, small patterns and Persian effects, all strictly fast colors, intended to sell at 12½c a yard; "The Fair," by reason of a lucky

purchase, can sell Friday at... White Goods. 60 pieces Nainsooks and White Dimities, in dainty checks and stripes; regular price 15c a yard; Friday at One case 40-inch India Linens with satin stripe border, very suitable for aprons, easily worth 20c a yard; "The Fair" lIC to sell at

39c Chemises.

Ribbon Snaps. the new and fancy colorings for Spring, intended to sell at 19c a yard, "The Fair" Sclis Friday at.

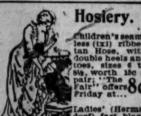
A mixed lot of all-silk Ribbons, in changeable, striped and figured designs, all new shades for Spring, worth up to 69c a yard; all, Friday, at.

"The Fair" is Always Cutting Carpet and Curtain Prices.

best in quality, no matter

you cannot equal ours.





House Furnishing Bargains.

BASEMENT. ated Japanese China India I Butter Dishes, worth for a dozen;

122c Handkerchiefs.

Large size Cleaning Spo worth up to 15c each; in one big lot for

chiefs, worth 10c and 12½c each, in one big lot for Friday at



FOR NORTH ST. LOUIS.

Improvement Associations to Consolidate and Work as a Unit.

A joint meeting of the North St. Louis legislation.

Improvement Association and the North Broadway Improvement Association will be called for next week to discuss the advisation.

Arkansas House of Representative arkansas House of called for next week to discuss the advisability of consolidating the two organizations. It is said the Cass Avenue and Franklin Avenue Improvement Associations will units with the new association thus formed, and the energies of the four bodies will be concentrated to promote the general welfare and advancement of North St. Louis. Since the passage of the third bridge act there has been greater activity among business men than before, and several appreciable public improvements are contemplated.

When the new bridge is fairly under way the North Market Street Depot project will be energetically pushed.

Parker's Hair Balsam keeps the hair soft and plentiful and restores color when gray. Parker's Ginger Tonic the best cough cure. Col. Peyton Still Aliva.

HADDONFIELD, N. J., March 11.—The announcement telegraphed from Philadelphia last night that Col. Jesse Peyton, the "Father of Contennials," was dead at his home in this place, was premature. Col. Peyton is lying at death's door, but he is still alive.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS.

Oklahoma Senate has killed the text book bill.

Arthur Sewall has sailed for Panama for coreation.

Ex.Senator J. N. Dolph of Oregon is dead at Portland.

The free silver wing of Chicago Democracy will run Carter H. Harrison for Mayor. C. P. Huntington is bringing influence to bear on Alger and McKinley to not recognise the finding of the Harbor Commission at Portland. Cotton mills of Eastern Canada are ourisiling production.

The gold excitement continues in the
Whichita Mountains.

The coffee and sugar war is on between
the Arbuckles and Wooksons.

Free silver Republicans of Nebraska hold
a meeting at Lincoin March M.

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by Congressmen McMillan and De Armond Mrs. Beecher's remains have been taken to Brooklyn and placed in Plymouth Church chapel. Kansas House of Representatives has voted against initiative and referendum legislation.

Arkansas House of Representatives passed the debt settlement resolution over Gov. Jones' veto. At Waco Tex., B. I. Egerton and wife sue I. M. Peariston for \$41,000 for defam-ation of character. Fire near the magazine of the New York almost caused the destruc-the vessel last Tuesday. New York almost caused the destruction of the vessel last Tuesday.

Hugo Lemke, saloon-keeper, was killed by Paul Cripen at Chicago because of intimacy with Cripen's wife.

Garret A. Hobert, Jr., son of the Vice-President, is head of a commercial house at Paterson, N. J., although only 12 years old. Gov. Black of New York has signed the bill making it a felony for any one but a druggist or physician to have or administer a drug or narcotic.

Robert Treat Paine, a Boston millionaire, made a record breaking trip from Washington to Boston to see his wife alive, but she died before his arrival.

Minnesota suthorities failed to get Anton Delmel, charged with larceny, from Missouri, and charge that it is because they hold on to the Youngers.

The paying teller of the First National Bank of Chattanooga, Tonn., gave a logger eight 500 packages. The bank loses 13.00.

The free silver wing of Chicago Democracy will run Carter H. Harrison for Mayor.

New Missouri Corporations.

MRS. HENRY WINS.

suicide Not a Bar to Knights of

Pythias Insurance. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 11.-Judge SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March II.—Judge Shirley, in the Sangamon Circuit Court, has made an important decision in an insurance case. The case was that of Mrs. Louisa Henry, who sued the Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias of the World, for \$3,000 insurance on the life of her husband, Charles Henry. The defense was that a by-law of the Supreme Lodge exampted suicides from benefits from the insurance, but the plaintiff proved that the by-law was not made by the Supreme Lodge, but only by the Board of Control, and then ratified by the Supreme Lodge. Judge Shirley held the by-law was not binding on Henry unless the Supreme Lodge made it and instructed the jury to find for Mrs. Henry.

Massachusetts Failures.

with President Chapin of the Pychon Ne-lonal Bank as the assignee. Mr. Monroe's labilities amount to about \$100,000 and Mr. Faton's to about \$50,000.

Orange and raspberry lakoom; 10c a pound. MARTINELLI THREATENED.

Busy Bee Bargain Day To-Morrow.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 11 .-

When You Think

MEN WHO SIT DOWN MUCH re usually troubled with indigestion are usually troubled with indicesti dyspepsia or ailments that follow such as kidney complaints, nerva disorders, lazy liver, constipation, e The Waters of and

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ey cure I Your druggist is nearest in Carlsbad, and the medical fra-nity of Europe and America rec-mend, for such troubles as yours graning Carlsbad Sprudel Salt and Waters of Carlsbad. Write for

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CARSON BEGINS

FIRST EASTERN SPECIAL TRAIN ARRIVES IN TOWN.

SILER'S RULES CAUSE A ROAR.

No Truth in the Report That Pompa dour Corbett Snubbed Lanky Bob.

CARSON CITY, Nev., March 11 .- The re port sent out from this place last night to the effect that Corbett and Fitzsimmon had met while out walking and had a wordy uarrel is a deliberate falsehood. They ssed the penitentiary southwest of the own within ten minutes of each other, but they did not meet. Corbett did not see Fitz-

decided this morning to change his hours regular work, and instead of doing it in the afternoon hereafter will take the hardest kind of exercise in the morning. He took his usual run into town this morn-ing and went through his hard work imediately after the return to Cook's ranch. Corbett started out for a run early this norning, and by noon returned after making a ten-mile trip. He went into the hand-ball court for an hour and then took

and from present indications will enter the ng heavier than in any fight he has ever ought. Talk of fighting under 170 pounds nonsense. The chances are he will tip the scales at 1% and maybe over by a few pounds. To all appearances he is heavier than when he began to train, although the material in his make-up has altered very

twelve pounds under Corbett. From now until the day of the fight it is likely Fitz-simmons will take on a few pounds. He is carefully guarding the secret of his weight ject is under discussion.

little doubt Corbett will be a strong favorite, odds running about from 5 to 3. William A. Brady stands ready to lose quite a sum if Corbett goes down, and it said he will back him still more before the day of he fight. None of the heavy betting men

the East. It consisted of five coaches, all

es to be the chief topic of conversation mong sporting men. The general opinion at ent is that it will require a conference representatives of Corbett and Fitzsimons with the referee to settle the matter. It is not likely that Julian and Fitzsimons will agree to anything at present. nt on the right to strike with no agreement on the right to strike with one hand free and in breakaways until the men are in the ring. At the same time it is doubtful if either fighter will be willing to announce how he really feels in relation to the matter. Both Corbett and Flizzimmons are too wary of giving the other the advantage to make known what they wish in the matter of close fighting, for fear that the other side will strenuously object to anything proposed.

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Fitzsimmons has said one reason for not agreeing to hit with one arm free and on the breakaway is that Corbett can practice these things from now until the date of the fight. As a matter, of fact Corbett has been practicing just that sort of thing ever since he went into training. He paid particular attention to hitting with one arm free and it was in that manner he floored big Jeffries Monday afternoon.

Corbett said this morning he knew Fitzsimmons would never agree to Siler's proposal for the reason that it was just what he wanted above everything and that Fitz was fearful if he agreed Corbett would object. Corbett, Charley White and other trainers at Shaw's Springs had a long conference over the matter last night and the opinion of the Corbett camp will be given in a reply to Siler which Corbett has promised shall be forthcoming to-day.

Siler said this morning it is immaterial to him how the men fought so long as they agree on a definite plan of combat. "All I want is an agreement." he said, "and I care nothing for the nature of the agreement. I am merely trying to adjust matters so that I shall not be called upon to feedde upon a foul. That would be the most unsatisfactory termination that could possibly be reached, and I am trying to lessen the danger of such a decision being called for."

Referee Siler's construction of the rules in brief provides that the men may strike in a clinch with one arm free-and on the breakaways. If there is any advantage to either man in this ruling the benefit goes to the long fellow from Australia, though fitzsimmons and his crew have affected to hold out for clean breakaways and no punching. This looks more like a ruse, for it is well known that the strokes with which Fitzsimmons has made such short work of almost every man he has gone against were delivered at short range when the bodies of the two men were touching. On the other hand, Corbett's friends say the prescribed style of battling will exactly sult the man from California. In his letter to both men Siler starts out by saying that the matter of rules has been given his honest attention. He enclosed each man a copy of the familiar Queensberry rules and comments upon rules 4 and 12 especially. The first rule in question reads:

"If either man fall through weakness or otherwise, he must get up unassisted, 10 seconds to be allowed him to do so, the other man meanwhile to return to his corner."

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Regarding this rule Siler says: "This, of course, was intended to prevent a man from standing over his fallen opponent; it probably never occurred to the framer of the rules that at times a man either falls or is knocked down in his opponent's corner. If then, the man on his feet retires to his corner as the rules direct, he will be standing over his fallen opponent and doing just what the rules mean he shall not do. To avoid all disputes on this score, I will simply instruct you in case of a knock-down to retire at least ten feet from your fallen opponent to give him an opportunity to rise."

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opponent to give him an opportunity to rise."

In connection with rule 12, which provides that "the contest in all other respects is to be governed by the revised rules of the London prize ring." Siler has to say: "I consider this rule one of the most important of the twelve rules, and appears to be the bone of contention in almost every contest. It has been the custom of referees, myself among them, to inquire of the principals whether they choose to hit in clinches with one arm free and also on breakways. Invariably the principals agree not to hit in clinches or on breakways, but they generally forget all about their agreement and frequently violate it.

"This, then, not only causes the seconds, but the speciators, to cry "foul" every time a blow is delivered in a clinch or on a break-away, and causes much trouble and argument. It also makes the duties of a referee arduous and disagreeable, and keeps him continually in hot water. Furthermore, it rives the referee an opportunity to determine a contest on a technical foul, which is generally unsatisfactory to everybody

a nighter's ideas of flaws. But there is one point on which Corbett is sensible. He says:

"There should be no misunderstanding about the rules, and there should be no secrecy. It is not only necessary that Fitz and myself should know what is expected of us, but it is essential that every person who is in that arena on the 17th should be acquainted with the rules under which we are to fight. More than that, it is important that every one who reads of this fight either before or after it occurs should be thoroughly conversant with the rules. When things are in that condition every one will be able to judge for himself whether it is Fitzsimmons or myself who is at fault in case something occurs which is contrary to the rules."

IF JIM WINS THE MILL

If Jim Corbett wins the fight next Wednes

JOHN L. AND HIS PARTY.

Due in Chicago Saturday Morning En

Route for the Battleground. CHICAGO, March 11 .- John L. Sullivan, ex-champion heavyweight of the world,

who is to report the Corbett-Fitzsimmons contest for a New York newspaper, will arrive in Chicago Saturday morning and will leave at 5:30 o'clock in the evening on the "Davies Special" for the battle-ground.

Sullivan has challenged the winner and will be accompanied by a party of Boston sporting men, including George Gay, Frank Stevenson, Frank Dunn and Larry Killian. Among the prominent New Yorkers who will accompany John L. are Tom O'Bourke, Jo Vendig, Ben B. Sloss, Frank Keeney, John P. Eckhardt and Warren Lewis.

ISAAC POTTER IS SERFNE.

President of the L. A. W. Not at All Worried Over Secession Rumors.

Secession talk is heard throughout the ings, the leading cycling paper, has taken

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another breathing speil. Judge 1. A. Sherwood of Division No. 2. Supreme Court,
has handed down a decision in the case
of the State vs. C. B. Thomas, charged
with pool-selling, which completely knocks
out all laws against gambling on horseracing.

The decision in brief holds that while
the law of 1895 has been declared unconstitutional, in Tom Walsh's case, it did
not repeal the law of 1891, but this section
is also unconstitutional, as it is special
class legislation.

There was great jubilation expressed by
the bookmakers when the news of Judge
Sherwood's decision reached St. Louis, although it was not entirely unexpected.
There is now no law in the statutes to prevent gambling on races either at or away
from the tracks. The local layers of odds
recognize, however, that their joy will be
shortlived, as the bill to prevent pool-selling, except at legitimate race tracks and
limiting race meets to ninety days, has
already passed the House, and is sure
to pass the Senate in a few days.

This law, when it goes into effect, will
shut up the many gambling resorts that
are growing in number every day.

BETTING IN NEW YORK CITY.

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Odds Offered on Fitzsimmons Don't Go Long Without a Taker.

most of Corbett's letters he maintains that against Fitzsimmons a waiting game would prove more profitable in the long run. On the other hand Fitz declares he will not deviate from the methods of settling the issue as soon as opportunity offers itself. This practically means that Bob will probably force matters from the beginning.

Fitz says that it will be all over in ten rounds, with himself on top. Proprietor Roble, of the Hotel Bartoldi, got a letter from Fitz, making that statement. and Roble accordingly bet \$150 to \$300 five times that Fitz would be the winner in ten rounds. He also made a wager of \$100 to \$150 that Fitz would win.

Eugene O'Rourke, the comedian, likes Fitzsimmons' chances, and bet George Thatcher, the minstrel, \$150 to \$200. Joseph Burke, Dan Stuart's old friend, also wagered \$200 to \$100 with W. W. McCormick on Corbett. J. Duke Murray took the Fitz end of a bet of \$250 to \$350 with Andrew Henshaw. He has \$200 more to place on Fitz. Augustus Pitou likes Corbett, and is ready to invest \$2,000 at 10 to 8. Joseph Arthur, the author of "Blue Jeans," has over \$2,000 down on "Lanky Bob," and is prepared to bet another \$100 at \$4 to 5. Enoch Smith, of Jersey

ings, the leading cycling paper, has taken up in the matter and in this week's issue devotes considerable space to the action of the South Side Cycling Club of St. Louis and to the Minnesota clubs, which are kicking over the traces. In a letter to Bearings, Mr. Potter, President of the League, says:

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SILER TALES ASCUT RULES OF THE FIGHT.

Dr. Smith of Little Rock Prescribes **Sonnen** Paine's Celery Compound.



city of Washington said that he simply went back to the Capitol and started over again.

The most enlightened physicians of America have taken a leaf out of this traveler's book. After wandering among unproved theories, and experimenting with many systems of treatment, they have gone back to the first landmark of medicine—the public welfare. Simple efficacy and well-established merit are the tests by which medicines are judged, and the doctors write their prescriptions accordingly.

Because Paine's celery compound excels all other medicines in cases of nervous prostration and debility, the leading physicians order it. They know the formula, for it is furnished to them on application. They recognize that the compound is not a patent medicine. It has nothing in common with the horde of nostrums that flood the market. They are made only to sell. Paine's celery compound is made to cure.

Dr. Freedman Smith of 1122 Chester street. Little Rock, Ark, who has a wide reputation in the South and West, writes: "Under another cover I send you my photograph, also two of my wife's mother, showing her condition as per testimonial, also one of my little girl, Lorena. They gladly send you these testimonials without solicitation, with the hope that they may be read by some sufferer. We feel very kindly toward Paine's celery compound. At any time I

Sam Fitspatrick, "Kid" Lavigne's manager, who has been a Corbett follower, has begun to shift his opinion. He has been playing many bets at 7 to 5 on Corbett, but last night he put \$400 on Fitz at even money.

UP BEFORE THE FACULTY. Yale Men Who Sent Corbett a Flag Will Be Rebuked.

ex-secretary William C. Whitey; another is Frederick Kernochan of the well-known New York family, and a third is Gouverneur Morris, grandson of the renowned Governor. Among the others are Bruce Clark, member of a leading Chicago family; Frank Simmons of Brooklyn, K. L. McLauchian, Cleveland; John S. Rodgers and M. W. Deland, New York City, and Dalias C. Byers, Pittsburg. These young men have in the Yale News a statement that they wished to retract all phrases in the letter to Corbett relating in any way to Yale. The faculty have summoned the young men to appear before them to answer to the charge of dragging Yale's name in the mire.

BETTING HERE NOT BRISK. Local Sports Not Wagering Much

Money on the Fight. Betting on the big fight, now less than a week off, is at a standstill. Dore Silver has recorded a few small bets and one as high as \$150, all on Fitzsimmons. The men appear so evenly matched that many of the real gamblers think 3 to 5 a good bet, even

real gambles thinks a to a good bet, even to lose.

At the "Brooklyn" a notice has been on the blackboard for some days. It reads: "\$600 to \$500, or any part of it, Corbett wins." The offer has not yet been taken up. Charlie Spink has a nice sum of money he would like to bet on the Australian, but he is waiting until a day or two before the fight to place his money.

OFF FOR PITTSBURG.

Muckenfuss Goes to Get Louis Bierbauer's Signature to a Contract. Secretary Muckenfuss of the Browns wil leave for Pittsburg Thursday evening on a leave for Pittsburg Thursday evening on a double errand for Von der Ahe.

One of the missions is to have Louis Bierbauer sign his contract to play with the St. Louis team and the other is in connection with the lawsuit brought by Mark Baldwin against the President of the Browns. Mr. Muckenfuss will be absent only two or three days.

WHAT'S THE COLT WORTH?

W. P. Ljams, the Terre Haute Breeder Has a Puzzle for Horsemen. Mr. W. P. Ijams, the well-known and

Mr. W. P. Ijams, the well-known and wealthy harness horse breeder of Terre Haute, is in a quandary. Mr. Ijams has one horse, Axtell, in his stable for which he paid \$105,000, and an aged but finely bred mare which he purchased at the recent Fleming sale of thoroughbreds for \$45.

The mare, Orphan Girl, by Dictator, is to be bred to Axtell. Now Mr. Ijams is cudgeling his brain in an endeavor to figure out what the product of \$105,045 of horse fieth in the proportions here given should be worth.

Returns From the Fight by Wire.

Lorena A. Smith, the doctor's daugnter, is is years old.

She says: "I had headache and dizzy spells, and was very sick at my stomach. Letters in lines, when I was studying, would run all together, making a black line. I was taken out of school and put under the care of our family physician, but I continued to grow worse, and then I commenced taking Paine's celery compound, three doses a day. I commenced to improve very rapidly, and to-day I am as sound as a nut. Whenever I feel bad I always take a few doses of Paine's celery compound, and it never fails to do its work."

Thus was Dr. Smith's wisdom vindicated

Thus was Dr. Smith's wisdom vindicated in prescribing Paine's celery compound, the greatest of modern medicines, for his daughter. Not only doctors, but mothers know the dangers that beset growing girls. They are likely to be scrawny, nervous, and thin-blooded. Their future depends upon this critical period.

Paine's celery compound is prescribed for girls because it whets their appetites, makes them sleep well, and gives them plenty, of rich, red blood. Their frail forms are rounded out, and their pailld cheeks take on the tints of robust health.

Paine's celery compound should be in every family.

on Wednesday and an operator placed on the stage to take the returns by rounds of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight. The doors will be open at 12:39 o'clock. The fight is to take place at 11 o'clock in Carson City, which is 1 o'clock St. Louis time. There will be no raise in prices that day. Seats are now on sale.

Betting in Chicago. Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Local sporting men are beginning to make bets on how long the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight will last. Some authorities believe that the contest will not last more than fifteen rounds. In most of Corbett's letters he maintains that against Fitzsimmons a waiting game would prove more profitable in the long run. On the other hand Fitz declares he will not device for the method of sections of the sample of the resonance of the resonan

Sporting Notes.

Billy Madden of Yonkers leaves for Carson The Chicago base ball aggregation spent a few minutes in St. Louis Wednesday night. They were on their way South to begin training for their fight for the pen-nant.

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The attendance from New York at the fight will be unusually small, it is estimated. Stories of bad clamate and poorer hotel accommodations are thought to have frightened many away.

Manager Tebeau of the Clevelands has signed Sockalexis, the full-blood Indian, who came into fame as a fielder and batter while playing on the Holy Cross College team of Worcester, Mass. Tebeau had been after the Indian ever since last season.

The question which has existed in base ball circles ever since George Stallings was selected to manage the Phillies, as to what would become of Billy Nash, can be answered by the announcement that the crack third baseman has at last signed a Philadelphia contract. Messrs. Reach and Rogers showed much sense in holding on to Nash, and now that he has been released of managerial duties he will doubtless play much better ball.

Princeton candidates for the Mott Haven

much better ball.

Princeton candidates for the Mott Haven cycle team began training Friday. Gymnasium work will constitute most of the preliminary practice until the weather is more favorable. Contractor Oviatt, who built the Asbury Park, N. J., track, has engaged to build the one on Brokaw Memorial Field. It is probable that Billy Murphy and Teddy Goodman of New York will be employed as professional trainers to look after the men who are to ride in the interscholastic team.

WALBRIDGE IS AGREEABLE. Tells Property Owners He Will Sign

the Clark Avenue Bridge Bill. A delegation of property owners, consist-ing of Capt. John A. Sloan, Jacob H. Link, Ole Petersen, Ed Cammon, John J. Kirby, G. C. Pironi and others, called on Mayor Walbridge Thursday and urged him to sign the Clark avenue bridge bill.

His honor assured them that he would do so in a day or two unless something devel-oped to change his mind.

The Terminal Association has not made any protest against the bill to the Mayor.

Letitia Thompson Inquest.

The inquest on the body of Letitia Thompson, the negress who was stabbed and instantly killed Wednesday afternoon by Nannie Smith in the rear of 1600 Olive street, will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The Smith woman is still a prisoner at the City Hospital, suffering from the wounds inflicted by the Thompson woman with a shovel. Her injuries are not serious. Free Homeopathic Hospital.

A pro forma decree of incorporation was granted the Free Homeopathic Hospital Association of Missouri by Judge Klein Thursday. George W. Lubke is President, W. J. Harrison Secretary, and G. A. W. Augst Treasurer. Among the physicians connected with the enterprise are Drz. C. H. Goodman and Albert Merrell,

L. ACKERMAN, Manager.

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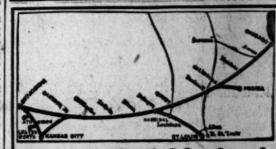
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Kansas City

STARKLOFF'S LOVE FEAST.

Gave His Force a Talk and Got All Presentation of the Lost Paradise at Their Resignations.

Health Commissioner Starkloff accepted Thursday the resignations of twenty-four sanitary inspectors and fumigators. They were tendered late Wednesday evening.

At 5 o'clock there was a meeting in the fit of the city's poor, and was managed by feast. The entire force of the departm was gathered. Dr. Starkloff made a spec reviewing the case and defending his

reviewing the case and defending his actions.

When he finished brief remarks were made by several expressive of their appreciation of the doctor's dealings with them. Every one of the sixty-three men then tendered his resignation with assurances that instead of turning against the doctor they would work for him harder than ever.

He later had a conference with Chief Sanitary Officer Francis and it was decided to accept at this time only twenty-four of the resignations. If the Council does not come to his relief more will be accepted.

Only a part of those dropped are the extra men recently put on. Some of them are men who have been with the department for a long time. The full list is as follows: J. Kuntz, B. D. Kilcullen, F. H. Hadd, P. Baldwin, A. L. Mepham, H. F. Wittig, M. Lohman, Louis Grund, Jr., C. Brock, C. G. Schroeder, A. League, A. Gruenewald, C. F. Burchard, M. Stoll, C. K. Koshimeyer, C. F. Selber, W. R. Eubanks, M. Langsdorf, Henry W. Ihms, C. D. Barth, F. Dauernheim, R. W. Harbison, W. J. Croley and S. Nealon,

ALONE IN A BIG CITY.

Friendless and Penniless Elizabeth Givens Helped by the Police Matron. Elizabeth Givens, a pretty but unfortunat 24-year-old girl from Fulton, Mo., was the guest of Police Matron Breen at the Four

guest of Police Matron Breen at the Four Courts Wednesday night.

Miss Givens came from Fulton March 1 in the hope of finding employment. She had but little money, and that was soon exhausted. She secured a temporary position as governess in South St. Louis, but the family left the city and found herself out of work Monday. She searched the city for work but was unable to find it. Wednesday evening, penniless and hungry and sick, she knew not which way to turn. She thought of the Police Matron and applied for relief.

The kind Matron heard the girl's story and gave her a good supper and a comfortable bed. Thursday morning she sent Miss Givens to the Working Girls' Home at 124 Washington avenue, where she will be given a home until she finds employment. Her parents are dead and she has no relatives she can depend upon.

Mixed in a Quarrel and Is Under Arrest for Assault to Kill.

William Beisher, 1417 Michigan avenue, keeps pet pigeons. Boys in his neighborhood delight in throwing stones at them. Wednesday Beisher caught a little negro boy annoying his pets. He gave him a lecture, threating him with dire things if it ever occurred again.

John Raymus, said to be a haif-breed Indian, saw the affair. He did not think Beisher justified. He drew a knife and began whitling on Beisher's face.

Now the half-breed is under arrest, and a warrant for assault to kill has been issued against him. William Beisher, 1417 Michigan aven

FOR THE CITY'S POOR.

Music Hall. Versatile Dramatic Company Wednesds evening to an appreciative audience at Mus Hall. The entertainment was for the benefit of "The Lost Paradise" was pre-



CIRCUIT JUDGES TO PASS ON THEM.

LIST OF SUBSTITUTE JUDGES AND CLERKS FILED.

THERE WILL BE NO DELAY.

Election Commissioners Submit Names to Fill Vacancies in the List of Election Officers.

Two hundred and fifty names to fill the vacancies in the list of both Republican and Democratic judges and clerks of elecwere filed with the Circuit Judges by

The Circuit Judges are supposed to ac

ammarily in passing upon these names," aid Secretary Saunders of the Election Board. "It is a mere matter of form, anyway. The names to fill vacancies do not have to remain with the Circuit Judges until the people pass upon them as they do in the original appointment of judges and clerks of election. "It is expected that the Circuit Judges will pass upon these names Friday, or perhaps this afternoon, and the board can advertise them Saturday."

The location of the polling places will be made known Saturday.

The list of substitute judges and clerks follows:

FIRST WARD.

1. Heary Metsger, 223 Elm street; c judge in place of W. M. Haley, Unit-Government employe.

2. Ernst Huldwaker, 313 S. Second st. c Judge in place of J. J. Gibbons, moved; Patrick Healy, 220 South Main street; c Judge in place of Thomas Rellly, reclinct, 8. F. E. McCarthy, 108 North street, Democratic Clerk in place of John smed; Precinct 10, John E. Veldon, 11064, street, Democratic Judge in place of D. moved.

deceased; Precinct 10, John E. Veldon, 1199% stunt street, Democratic Judge in place of D. ohue, moved, eclint 8, H. E. Ritter, 1007 Chestnut street, locratic Judge in place of John Driscol, moved. SECOND WARD.

secinct 1, W. R. Jones, 2 North Fourth street, locratic Clerk in place of T. A. Canty, moved; inct 2, Peter Hughes, 1114 Collins street, Democratic Clerk in place of Edward Edwards, moved; inct 2, Peter Hughes, 1114 Collins street, Democratic Light in place of Edward Edwards, moved; inct 2, Peter Hughes, 1114 Colling street, Democratic Judge in place of P. 3. J. O'Con-Jr., moved; Precinct 8, Richard Benecke, 1220 e street, Democratic Judge in place of P. 7 J. O'Con-Jr., moved; Precinct 3, Richard Benecke, 1220 e street, Democratic Judge in place of Frank in moved; Precinct 10, E. Harwood, 1325 in moved; Precinct 11, Gen V. Wee e. Locust street, Democratic Judge in place of J. Bowling moved; Precinct 11, H. H. mes, 1529 Olive street, Democratic Clerk in e of A. W. Pollard moved.

recinct 1, James J. Sheridan, 213 Cedar street, locratic Clerk in place of James O'Malley, deed; Precinct 4, Stering Eddleman, 802 South rth street, Democratic Judge in place of Jacob gile, Republican; Precinct 5, James Perrin, 519 th Seventh street, Democratic Judge in place of J. A. Perrin, moved; Precinct 5, James Perrin, 519 th Seventh street, Democratic Judge in place of J. A. Perrin, moved; Precinct 5, James Perrin, 519 th Seventh street, Democratic Judge in place of J. O. J. Cartwight, moved.

poly James J. Sheridan, 125 Convent street, Democratic Judge in place of Edward Holden, red; Precinct 9, Charles Alvis, 846 Chouteau mue, Democratic Judge in place of M. Cregani, moved: Precinct 10, Lawrence Hines, 846 M. Cregani, moved: Precinct 10, Lawrence Hines, 846 M. Cregani, moved: Proches Bulletin sevence.

houteau avenue, Democratic judge in place of f. M. Cregan, moved.
Precinct 1, Anton Pfohl, Ashley Building, Democratic Judge in place of M. Powers, moved; Precinct 3, John A. Krudwig, 1218 North Eighth street, emocratic Clerk in place of Matthew Merath, moved: Precinct 7, Maurice Cullian, 1217 North Ninth atreet, Democratic adge in place of M. Prendavill, moved: recinct 14, Walter Brown, 1311 North Second rect, Democratic Judge in place of H. F. Reed, oved; Precinct 16, Charles Lenart, 1743 North inth atreet, Democratic Judge in place of M. Hare, conset; Precinct 16, James Hannon, Jr., 1845, 1848, 1849, 1

moved. FIFTH WARD.
cinct 8, J. H. Schaefer, 1509 South Seventh,
Democratic judge in place of Ed Horner,
Percent 11, Louis A. Held, 1036 Carroll,
Democratic judge in place of H. Stoppelmoved; Precinct 14, John W. Treka, 1716
Thirteenth street, Democratic judge in place
ank Kurrus, moved; Precinct 15, Martin Sipla,
South Twelfth street, Democratic judge in
of William J. Masek, moved.
Inct 9, L. F. Tebeau, 3318 North Eleventh
Democratic Judge in place of George Dewey,

tt. Democratic Judge in place of George Dewey, ed.

scinct 1, Robert McKiroy, 4406 North BroadDemocratic Judge in place of A. J. Nolan, and; Precinct 8, Frederick Burhenne, 3744 Hestreet, in place of Harry O.—Wood, moved; inct 11, John Roach, 4293 Sacramento avenue, ocratic Judge in place of Dennis Gunn, moved; inct 11, James F. Morrison, 4223 Sacramento

ue, Democratic clerk in place of William K. s. moved; Precinct 14, Eugene M. Finnegan,
Coilege avenue, Democratic Judge in place of ge Hilke, moved; Precinct 16, Edward F. np. 5404 North Broadway, Democratic Judge in of William J. Durdy, moved; Precinct 16, WillH. Donohue, 5124 North Broadway, Democratic riving place of Louis Huber, moved; Precinct 16, under the place of Louis Huber, moved; Precinct of Judge in place of Louis Huber, moved; Precinct of Judge in place of C. J. Weininger, Jr.,

d; Precinct 22, William B. Kinealy, 8403 Newtreet, Democratic Judge in place of W. H.

eyer, moved.

NINTH WARD.

present Democratic judge in place of W. H. Mismeyer, moved. NINTH WARD.

Precinct 7, Chas. E. Etling, 2801 South Ninth street, Democratic judge in place of Clemens Middendorff, moved.

Precinct 13. Clemens Middendorff, 2800 South lefferson avenue, Democratic clerk in place of L. A. Bernhard, moved; Precinct 17. W. H. Stark, 302 Illinois avenue, Democratic judge in place of 2eorge J. Nagle, moved.

Precinct 15, H. Claude Lane, 3327 South Ninth street, Democratic Judge in place of William A. Suddecks, moved.

Precinct 7, Daniel A. McDermott, 1529 Car rect, Democratic judge in place of Louis Ash George Clayton, 1918 North Fif-Democratic Judge in place of T. N.

Precinct 11, George Clayton, 1918 North Fifteenth street, Democratic Judge in place of T. N. Oertling, moved.

Precinct 12, Patrick Roban, 1517 North Eighteenth street, Democratic clerk, in place of M. P. Holloran, Precinct 12, Charles E. Beardsiey, 1523 North Seventeenth street, Democratic Judge in place of Isaac S. Berry, moved; Precinct 12, John Holloran, 1537 North Eighteenth street, Democratic Judge in place of M. J. Holloran, moved.

Precinct 7, Paul H. Michler, 8318 California avenue, Democratic Clerk in place of Robert Lovelady, moved; Precinct 8, Edward N. Hartman, 5617 South Jefferson avenue, Democratic Clerk in place of Robert Lovelady, moved; Precinct 8, Edward N. Hartman, 5617 South Jefferson avenue, Democratic Judge in place of Joseph Piggott, moved; Precinct 16, William Dienstbach, 3024 Cherokee street, Democratic Judge in place of Joseph Piggott, moved; Precinct 16, William Dienstbach, 3024 Cherokee street, Democratic Judge in place of Joseph Piggott, moved; Precinct 11, Edw. 8, Fisk, 3716 Arkansas avenue, Democratic Judge in place of Own. J. Bocka, moved.

TWELFTH WARD.

Democratic judge in place of Wm. J. Bocka, mored.

"WELFTH WARD.

Precinct 1, Patrick H. Colligan, 1112 Monroe street, Democratic clerk in place of J. P. Gorman, city employe; Precinct 7, William H. Hiltobrand, 1460 Bodier street, Democratic judge in place of John A. Lindeman, deceased; Precinct 7, J. H. Dicknitz, 1424 Hebert street, Democratic clerk in place of Alex Cooper, deceased.

"Precinct 2, Eugene Shira, 4622 South Broadway, Democratic judge in place of Eugene Seegar, mored; Precinct 6, George M. Younger, 6110 Pensylvania avenue, Democratic clerk in place of Faul Poetting, moved; Precinct 7, Alfred Furth, 1801 South Broadway, Democratic judge in place of T. H. Brown, moved.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

Bouth Broadway, Democratic B., Brown, moved.

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Sinet 1, John W. Smith, 1125 North Eighbatteet, Democratic judge in place of Geo.

sarrett, mewed: Precinct 8, John T. Ratigan,
Carr street, Democratic clerk in place of
J. Mantoa, city employe: Precinct 6, John
II, 1116 North Twenty-second street, Democratic judge in place of Walter P. Rouse, de-

PIFTEENTH WARD.

Waiter S. Graham. 1228 Linden cratic cierk in place of John P. Arg. Precinct 1, Frederick Syhnell. 1228; Democratic judge in place of M. A. noved; Frecinct 6, Lester Green, 1706.

Tobaccountrie judge in place of James overd; Precinct 7, M. J. Addis, 1022 teenth atreet. Democratic judge in W. J. Mali, 1022 teenth atreet.

Offive street, Democratic Clerk in place of W. R. Sharpe, injured.
Precinct 4, Maurice F. Butler, 2134 Carr street, Democratic clerk, in place of William Kreyling, incompetency; Precinst 4, Patrick O'Donnell, 2115 Wash street, Democratic judge, in place of John F. Carrigan, city employe.

Precinct 4, F. P. Lorensen, 2510 University street, Democratic Judge in place of J. H. Wolf, eyesight effected; Precinct 15, F. W. Kramer, 2022 East Grand avenue, Democratic Clerk in place of George H. Graff, moved.

Precinct 8, John M. Bernhardt, 3914 North Treat-triplet 11, John J. Haney, 2107 Bremen avenue, Democratic judge, in place of Richand Cloonan, moved.

of Richard Choonan, moved.

Precinct 2, Orson Davis, 2934 Plue street, Democratic judge, in place of John B. Perkins, moved.

Precinct 4, Irwin E. Rodenbaugh, 508 Leonard avenue, Democratic Judge in place of J. B. Bligh, moved.

avenue, Democratic Judge in place of J. B. Bligh, moved.

Precinct 2, J. L. Cailaban, 1823 La8alle street. Democratic clerk, in place of R. E. Hogan, moved; Precinct 4, John J. Kennedy, 1410 Gratiot street, Democratic clerk, in place of Michael Schmeliter, moved; Precinct 7, Cornelius H. Hatch, 1912 (flickory street, Democratic judge, in place of Frank G. Fitzgerald, moved; Precinct 11, Fred Linkul, 2819 Eads avenue, Democratic judge, in place of F. J. Lamsberg, city employe.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

Precinct 6, William H. Meier, 3139 School street, Democratic judge, in place of J. W. Weber, moved; Precinct 12, William A. Glass, 724 North Spring avenue, Democratic judge, in place of Charles H. Peck, Jr., moved.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

Precinct 3, Adam Nagel, 2809 South Eighteenth street, Democratic judge, in place of O. W. Cowgill moved; Precinct 4, 1529 Am.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

Precinct 3, Adam Nagel. 2009 South Eighteenth itreet, Democratic Judge, in place of O. W. Cowdill, moved; Precinct 4, John F. Weinert, 1323 Lami itreet. Democratic Judge, in place of C. Clark, noved; Precinct 10, Louis A. Bernhardt, 2142 Victor street, Democratic Judge, in place of Theo. J. Jucas, moved.

Precinct 4, Edwin C. Homan, 2344 South Eigheenth street, Democratic Clerk in place of John Dillon, moved.

Lucas, moved.

Precinct 4, Edwin C. Homan, 2344 South Eighteenth street, Democratic Clerk in place of John Dillon, moved.

Precinct 5, M. P. McArdle, 1546 South Compton avenue, Democratic clerk in place of Thomas G. Tatum, moved.

Tatum, moved.

Precinct 22, Jos. F. Guignon, 5031 Cote Brilliante avenue, Democratic judge in place of Michael Callahan, city employe; Precinct 25, Frank J. O'Neill. 1909 Belt avenue, Democratic judge in place of David Carten, moved.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD.

Precinct 11, C. G. Spindler, 4342 Humphrey avenue, Democratic judge in place of Charles Meinhard, moved; Precinct 12, George Whiting, 4318 Tholosen avenue, Democratic judge in place of Charles F. Kohl, moved.

Precinct 14, Isaac Davis, 5377 Odell avenue, Democratic judge in place of Charles F. Kohl, moved.

Precinct 14, Isaac Davis, 5377 Odell avenue, Democratic judge in place of Thomas G. Kaye, candidate for House of Delegates.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

Precinct 6, Danlel Boone, 4047 Westminster place Democratic clerk in place of John J. Corkery, United States employe; Precinct 16, Frank T. Mudge, 4559 Morgan street, Democratic clerk in place of John J. Corkery, United States employe; Precinct 12, Edward L. Eggers, 912 Hodiamout avenue, Democratic judge in place of John J. Risch, deceased.

Precinct 23, Edward L. Eggers, 912 Hodiamout avenue, Democratic judge in place of John J. Risch, deceased.

Precinct 20, Jerome B. Legg, 5608 Cabanne, Service of Schanne, Service 20, Jerome B. Legg, 5608 Cabanne, Service 20, Jerome 20, Jerome 20, Jerome B. Legg, 5608 Cabanne, Service 20, Jerome nue, Democratic judge in place of E. S. Brad-ford, mored. Precinct 20, Jerome B. Legg, 5608 Cabanne, Democratic judge in place of Sam T. Rathell, State Fish Commissioner.

SCHAWACKER MAD.

He Says Democrats Have Stuffed the Delegation in His Ward.

Chris Schawacker, the First Ward politiof Election Commissioners Thursday. He claimed that petitions for the filing of Republican delegations in his ward had been signed by life-long Democrats.

He demanded of Secretary Saunders that the Board strike their names off. He was told that the Board had no right to say that these men had not changed their politics. Chris left in great indignation, vowing he would appeal to the courts.

To-Night's Meetings.

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Old Soldiers' McKinley League, Chatsworth Hall, Seventeenth and Olive streets. Speakers: Henry Ziegenheim, Dr. M. C. Starkloff and Clark Sampson.
Twenty-seventh Ward, Smo Chouteau avenue, Democratic. Speakers, Judge Noosan, Capt. Joe Brown.
Twenty-sixth Ward, Meriwether Democrats, Bellevue Hall, Easton and King's Inghway.
Twenty-sixth Ward, Tenth Precinct, Democrats, Massa's Hall, Taylor and Kennerly avenues, 8 o'clock.
Twenty-fourth Ward Republican League Club, Hoffman's Hall, St. Louis and Elliot avenues.
Seventeenth Ward, Fred Douglas Political Club, S08 North Fifteenth street.
Twentieth Ward Noonan Club, at Jefferson Club. Speakers, E. A. Noonan and F. P. Yore.
Fourth Ward Republican League Club, 310 North Broadway.
Tenth Ward Republican League Club, 310 North Broadway.

Streets.
Nineteenth Ward Harrison Club, Twenty-first street and Clark avenue.
Civic Federation block lieutenants, large hall of Masonic Temple, Seventh and Market streets.
Republican mass meeting, Stolle's Hall 1307 Biddle street. Speakers: Ziegenhein.

well known to public men throughout the country, and long has been recognized as country, and long has been recognized as a leader among Southern Republicans. He represented the Chattanooga District in Congress for several years, and in the Harrison administration was First Assistant Postmaster-General. Later he ran for Governor of Tennessee on the Republican ticket and made a remarkable run. The result was in doubt for many weeks, and it was not until after a warm fight before a board appointed to review the election that it finally was announced officially that Gov. Turney, his Democratic opponent, had been re-elected.

He was considered for some time not unlikely to be the South's representative in Mr. McKinley's Cabinet. Mr. Evans is a business man and of conceded executive ability. He is a manufacturer and has large railway supply repairing establishments in Chattanooga. He is also a forceful and affectionate speaker.

BIG SNOW STORM.

Prevalent in South Dakota and Tying Up the Roads.

ABERDEEN, S. D., March 11 .- A storm of remarkably light and fine snow started this entire section to-day. The Milwauke Road has just opened its south line, and now has several freight trains buried in drifts between this city and Mitchell. One train was deserted near Warner Station, the two locomotive trains running through to this city. There is a probability that the storm and accompanying blockade will tie up the roads for another week.

Warrants for Sillsbee and Higgins.

Warrants for assault to kill were issued Thursday against James H. Sillsbee and Thomas Higgins. It is alleged they entered the grocery of Charles Steadings, on Carr street, near Eighteenth street, Monday night, and began shooting at Steadings. Sillsbee was arrested. Higgins is still at large.

Busy Bee Bargain Day To-Morrow. inge and raspberry lakoom; 100 5 pound

the article and asking the witness to tell what was untrue. Mr. Von der Ahe couldn't cite a line.

After Chris was left go, Mr. Kennerk took the stand. He also thought the Post-Dismatch articles had prejudiced the people ag st his client. He and Mr. Woerner got ato a warm argument over some conversations they had had over the case, but nothing more was developed.

Mr. Muckenfuss also thought that the community was very much prejudiced against his boss.

After Mr. Kinnerk had explained why he thought the Judge was prejudiced—an explanation which did not explain—the Judge ordered court adjourned until 3 o'clock, when, he said, he would render his decision. He added, however, that both sides had better come prepared for trial.

This brought Mr. Kennerk to his feet. He said their was not ready for trial and could not go to trial. The Court offered to lay the case over until Saturday if the attorney would withdraw his application for a change of venue. This he wouldn't do, so the first order stood.

Miss Kaiser was in court with her father and her brother.

BARR'S IN HOLIDAY GARB. Magnificent Display in a Great Department Store.

month the sound of the hamme and saw has been distinctly audible at Barr's, and workmen in blouses have threaded their way in and out among the threaded their way in and out among the throngs of ladies who congregate daily in this grand emporium of fashion.

What did it all mean? Those who have taken advantage of the invitation to help celebrate Barr's forty-eighth birthday now know. There has been a grand transformation scene. New counters and shelves have been put in, odd and picturesque nooks have been formed at every convenient point, and everywhere the most exquisite goods are Republican mass meeting, Stolle's Hall 1307 Biddle street. Speakers: Ziegenhein. and Nagel. Eighteenth Ward Republican Club, North St. Louis Turner Hall, Twentieth and Salisbury streets. Garden, Chippewa and Morgan Ford road, and at Thirteenth and Benton streets. Speakers: Capt. Brown and Lee Meriwether.

H. CLAY EVANS.

The Tennessee Republican Has Been Tendered the Position of Pension Commissioner.

WASHINGTON, March ii.—Mr. H. Clay Evans of Tennessee has been tendered the office of Commissioner of Pensions, and in all probability will accept the appointment, which is one of the most important in the departmental service at Washington outside of the Cabinet offices. Mr. Evans is well known to public men throughout the country, and long has been recognized as a been tendered as a carden to the service content of the service are inclored for the country, and long has been recognized as a been tendered as a carden to the service content of the service are inclored for the cabinet offices. Mr. Evans is well known to public men throughout the country, and long has been recognized as a been tendered the country, and long has been recognized as a been tendered the country, and long has been recognized as a long that does not serve the most exquisite goods are shown in such bewildering variety that one whown in such bewildering variety that one whown in such bewildering variety that one who what they had weevery convenient point and everywhere the most exquisite goods are shown in such bewildering variety that one whown in such bewildering variety that one might well imagine that they had wandered into the Parisian Bon Marche.

As the times have grown harder, the goods have become richer and more beautiful, until fashions in fabrics seem to have reached the limit of extravagance in color and design, and yet so cheap that no one and design, and yet so cheap that no one and design, and yet so cheap that no one and design, and yet so cheap that no one and design, and yet so cheap that no one and design, and yet so cheap

DIDN'T HE SELL

BREITENSTEIN?

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ONLY FOUR DEAD.

Number of the Victims of the Indiana Wreck Was Correctly Told by the Post-Dispatch.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 11.-If corroborative testimony is worth anything only four lives were lost in the Evansville

and Terre Haute wreck near Hazleton. The dead are:

and Terre Haute wreck near flactoring the dead are:
George A. Sears of Terre Haute, conductor; Joseph Beleman of Evansville, fireman; Herbert Allen of Evansville, Ind., late doorkeeper Indiana Legislature; one passenger, name unknown. Supposed to be a drummer.
The fact that some business cards were found floating about after the wreck gave rise to a report that two other passengers rise to a report that two other passengers were missing. One of the cards bore the name of J. T. Phillips, Fort Wayne, and the other the name of a book firm at Chicago. Neither had the line "presented by" filled out.

The injured are John McCutcheon of Evansylle engineer, cut bruised and scaled.

The injured are John McCutcheon of Evansville, engineer, cut. bruised and scalded, but not seriously; Baldwin Haueisen of Evansville, Ind., brakeman, foot horribly mashed and otherwise bruised; W. F. Henderson of the Henderson Comedy Company, leg broken.

Haueisen and Henderson are in the hospital in this city, receiving every attention. The delayed passengers came in from Vincennes via the Evansville and Indianapolis at 2 o'clock this morning. The Evansville and Terre Haute began this morning conducting local business as far north as Hazleton on its main line. Chicago and Eastern business will be sent via the Evansville and Indianapolis and Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern to Vincennes and thence on the Evansville and Terre Haute main line.

Fire at Quincy.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
QUINCY, Ill., March 11.—Fire broke out in H. A. Vandenboom & Co.'s furniture factory at 1:30 o'clock this morning, doing \$10,000 damage. Loss covered by insurance.



HENRY CLAY EVANS

month, having already almost completed the circuit.

The party is composed of Mrs. Katherine A. Tingley, leader of the Theosophical movement throughout the world; E. T. Hargrove, President of the Theosophical Society in America, Europe and Australia; Claude Falls Wright, President of the New York Theosophical Society, and Socretary to the late Mme. Blavatsky, and to William Q. Judge; Mrs. Claude Falls Wright, lecturer to the Eastern States of America; H. T. Patterson, President of the Brooklyn Theosophical Society; F. M. Pierce, Representative of the School for the Revival of Lost Mysteries of Antiquity; Rev. W. Williams of England; Mrs. Barclay G. Cleather of London, England.

Turn Loose \$838.50. The candidates for Mayor at the approach

ing election may spend \$838.50 for election purposes without violating the corrupt practices act.

The question came up before the Board o

Election Commissioners Thursday. Chair-man Jones looked up the law. Sec. 8 pro-vides that the amount is to be computed on the vote cast at the election last held to fill the office in question. For 5,000 votes or less \$100 is permitted and under 25,000, \$2 per hundred over 5,000 hundred over 25,000 and under 50,000, \$1 per hundred, for each hundred, and for each hundred over 50,000. The youte at the last vote at the last election for Mayo 699. This will permit the expenditur of the amount named.

The penalty for exceeding the amounts forfeiture of office.

WESTERN UNION IS WARY.

Fears the Conduit Bill Will Hurt Its Pole Tax Case.

Attorney Elenelous Smith of Dickson & Smith, local counsel for the Western Union relegraph Co., returned Wednesday from New York, where he went to consult with the general counsel of the company in referthe general counsel of the company in reference to the Keyes conduit ordinance. It was decided to pursue a waiting policy. As stated in Monday's Post-Dispatch the company is anxious to go underground, but cannot accept the provisions of the ordinance as it now stands without virtually confessing judgment to the city in the special pole tax sult, which is pending.

The attorneys of the company think City Counselor Marshall was trying to eatch them by requiring an acceptance of the section of chapter is of the Revised Ordinances, referring to electric light, heat and power companies.

The Postal has no special tax legislation on its hands, but it may have if the decision in the Western Union suit is adverse to the company.

CONDUIT PERMIT.

Underground Service Co. Demand an Immediate Answer.

The Underground Service Co. of St. Louis asked the Board of Public Improvements on Feb. 19 for a permit to construct a condult from the manhole at Broadway and Olive street to the building on the southwest corstreet to the building on the southwest corner. The board ignored the request.
Charles Sutter, president of the company,
sent another communication to the board
Thursday. He requests action be taken at
the earliest possible convenience of the
board methor such action be favorable or
unfavorable. If the board refuses to take
action he wants to be notified. The letter
was written on the stationary of Boyle,
Priest & Lehman, the attorneys of the company. pany.

President McMath said: "We do not propose to overrule the decision of the Supreme Court."

The second communication will be read to the board Friday, and probably be referred to a committee.

WANT A RECEIVER.

Gaffney Vitrified Brick Co. Members Can't Agree. The Gaffney Vitrified and Press-Brick

for a receiver.

It is said that the troubles of the co are due to the partiality shown the Nied ringhauses in the matter of public contract assigns that and internal dissensions are the causes of the proceedings.
The company is practically the only one in its line in St. Louis. It was organized two years ago. Besides Gaffney, the stockholders are John P. Kaiser. H. R. Whitmore, L. W. Blanke and Adam Roth, who are defendants in the proceedings instituted by Gaffney. They are represented by Lawyer M. W. Huff.

ELEVATOR RISKS.

Insurance Men Want More Protection or Higher Bates.

Elevator risks in the Northwest were discussed all forenoon Thursday by the convention of the Western Fire Insurance Union. It was the general opinion that the insurance companies in many instances should have better protection for their risks or else raise the rates.

The article in a morning paper purporting to give the deliberations of the body in regard to non-union companies is indignantly denied by members of the convention. They say that the question of non-union companies has never come beforethis convention in the shape of a resolution or otherwise.

It has been said that the non-union companies, by paying 30 per cent commissions to their agents, have been getting the bulk of the business, as the union companies have been paying but 15 per cent. It is claimed that if the non-union companies refuse to accede to a fair agreement the union companies will start an insurance war by either cutting rates or increasing the commissions to agents.

The Western Fire Insurance Union is composed largely of presidents and general managers of big fire insurance companies. It appears that they are pursuing methods of trusts and monopolies in some ways. Their meetings are star-chamber in the externe, and President Smith very proudly boasts that he doesn't care whether the public knows what the union is doing or not. risks in the Northwest

DUDE PUG'S WATERLOO. Jack Devine Knocked Out by Jerry

Slattery With One Blow.

Jack Devine, the dude pugilist, has lost his reputation. Jerry Slattery, a local pug, shattered it with one right-hand punch shattered it with one right-hand punch Wednesday night.

The affair occurred in Joe Murphy's saloon, at Eleventh and Chestnut streets, at 10 o'clock. Devine and Slattery had been together during the evening. At Quinn's saloon, near the Standard Theater, they became involved in a quarrel. Both the pugs were roughly handled and thrown out of the saloon. Arm in arm they sauntered to Murphy's saloon, where each of the fighters began to boast of the superior ability he had shown in the recent fight.

Devine said he could lick Slattery, and Slattery replied that Devine was in love with the sound of his own voice. Devine' reached for Slattery, and is sorry. Slattery went after him with his right, caught him full in the face. Devine went through the swinging doors and landed on the sidewalk ten feet away.

Just as Slattery emerged from the saloon, police officers appeared on the scene and prevented further trouble. No arrests were made.

KEYS CUT NO FIGURE.

Judge Murphy Discharges a Man Who

the Police Say Is Bad. Judge Murphy discharged Charles Lewi from custody Thursday on one of his own peculiar rulings. Lewis was arrested about ten days ago while holding a crowd of Chinamen at bay in "hop alley." He had been detected tapping the till in the Chinese laundry at 12 South Righth street, and the infuriated Chinamen wanted to dismember him. He was said to have taken \$1.25 from the till, but was sent to Police Court, charged with having burglars' tools in his possession.

Patterson, President of the Brooklyn Theosophical Society; F. M. Pierce, Representative of the School for the Revival of Lost Mysteries of Antiquity; Rev. W. Williams of England; Mrs. Barclay G. Cleather of London, England.

WHAT THEY CAN SPEND.

Candidates for the Mayoralty May

Turn Loose \$838.50.

MAKES ALL THE SIGNS.

William Rollins Believes He Is a Eighty-Fourth Degree Mason. William Rollins is one of the amusing of servation patients at the City Hospital. He is colored, 45 years old and lives at 1124

North Eighth street. He has the idea that he is being persecuted, but thinks he can avert all trouble because he is a Mason of high degree. The guard called Rollins up to the wicket and gave signs that would drive a real Mason to distraction. The signs were made with great rapidity, but Rollins faithfully imitated each one. The guard asked what degree that sign came in and Rollins answered solemnly that it was the eighty-fourth. He said he was a member of the highest order of Masonry in the world and Masons of his degree met at 707 O'Fallon street.

DANCED ON BROKEN GLASS.

Mike Donahue Entertained Black Book

(Ark.) Humorists. Donahue applied at the Dispen Thursday with a pair of bad feet. He said he got them in Black Rock, Ark. He said he got them in Black Rock, Ark. He was in a saloon with his shoes off drying his feet. Some roughs picked him out for a tenderfoot. They pulled their guns and told him to dance.

He did not put enough spirit into it and they broke some bottles on the floor and ordered him to try again.

He remonstrated after cutting his feet and they blackened his eyes and broke his nose. He arrived at Union Station Thursday morning. He has no home.

Dr. Newcomb removed three pieces of glass from his feet. He refused to go to the hospital. He had a dollar and said he would go to a hotel. Lockjaw may ensue,

W. W. BRADEN DEAD.

Ex-Auditor of Minnesota and Had Caused an Investigation.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 11.—Ex-State
Auditor W. W. Braden of this State, one
of the best-known Republicans of the
Northwest, died this morning early at Los Angeles, Cal., where he went over three Angeles, Cal., where he went over three years ago to recover his heatih, His death was not unexpected. Mr. Braden had been brought into considerable prominence recently by the investigation of the State's claim to title in the famous Mountain Iron mine, such title having been relinquished while Mr. Braden was State Auditor, the Land Department being under that official Iron was discovered some time after the State Auditor relinquished the State's claim to the land and the recent legislative investigation has sought to prove that the iron deposits were known to exist earlier.

Gen. Fred Solomon, a former well-known resident of St. Louis, died Tuesday even ing at Salt Lake City. He entered the was as captain of the Fifth Missouri Cavaliry and was promoted through the various grades to brevet major-general in 1884. He afterwards assisted in locating the Frisc Railway, and was for three terms Surveyor-General of Utah. He is well known to Missouri veterans.

County Line Changed HUNTINGDON, Pa., March 11 .- "JUST GOOD FOR NOTHING."

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BARBER-Position wanted by first-class barber Ad. E 471, this office. BAKER—Situation wanted by young man: first class bread and cake baker. Ad. F. H. F., 2510 Blair av.

BARKEEPER—Wanted, position as barkeeper German, single, 28; good and rapid mixer; best references. Ad. C 471, this office. COOK-Situation wanted by first-class man cook colored; city references. Ad. B 471, this office.

CASHIER—Wanted, situation by an honest and sober middle-aged man for office work or as cashier. Ad. 1525A Case av. CLERK—Situation wanted as office clerk; experienced at bookkeeping; speedy and accurate at figures; good references. Ad. G 471, this office. DESIGNER—A designer of special and automati-labor-saving machinery wants position. Ad. (469, this office.

FIREMAN-Wanted, situation as first-class fireman; salary no object; references. Ad. 7 S. 16th. FIREMAN—Wanted, situation as fireman or as-sistant engineer; can give good references. Add. R 471, this office.

JANITOR—Wanted, situation as janitor or car penter for some estate; can give good references Ad. Aug. Stone, 1115 Geyer av. MAN-Situation wanted by a man with good references to attend to horses and work aroungentleman's place; small wages. Ad. A 468, thi

MAN AND WIFE—Position wanted by man and wife to take charge of respectable rooming-house; experienced; best references. Ad. H 470, this office. MECHANIC—Situation wanted by ingenious me-chapic as bicycle repairer. Ad. D 470, this office.

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PAPERHANGER—A first class paperhanger was a situation; will work by the piece, but pre-week work. Ad. C 470, this office. PAINTER-I want work of any kind; am a good quick painter and paperbanger; handy with all tools; steady. 911 Ann av.

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YOUNG MAN-Of 19 wants situation in candy and iee cream kitchen to learn the business. Ad. 2 467, this office. YOUNG MAN—Wants work of some kind; willing to work inside or outside at whatever I can get strictly temperate and good references. Ad. M 471, this office.

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OOK-Situation wanted by young girl as cook 3109 Easton av. OOK-Situation wanted by a young lady to do plain cooking in private boarding house; good laundress, chambermaid; good wages. Call at

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office Assessment of the Revenue, New City Hall, entrance on Thirteenth street: St. Louis, Mo., March Stb. 1897:

SEALED PROPOSALS.

SAN ANTONIO, March 11.—The Cattle taisers' Association Convention ended yea-erday. Contrary to expectation the que-

barbon assigned yesterday to A. B. by and William Dawson, Jr., assign D. Bleod. Both were personal sants resulting from the Bank of Julia failure, of which they were ant and oashier respectively. Both savy blocks of stock in the bank, we been among the wealthiest men



SCHOOL BOARD'S HANDS ARE TIED.

CONTRACTORS CAN DO ANYTHING THEY PLEASE.

POINT FOR THE REFORMERS.

Director Cudmore Demonstrates That the Building Committee Can't Protect the City's Interests.

The chief aim of the School Board ring since the agitation over the Civic Federation bill has been to attract as little notice as possible. Some of them forgot themselves at the last meeting of the Building Committee and furnished the friends of the

Committee and furnished the friends of the bill a little more capital.

When the Berry injunction suit against the School Board over the Peck-Williamson heating contracts was tried the defense insisted that by the terms of the contracts the board could have its choice of steam, electric or gas engines for operating the ventilating fans. The steam engine is considered the most desirable for the purpose, and the gas engine the least. The latter is cheapest for the contractor.

Two weeks ago the Building Committee accepted the gas engine. This did not save the School Board any money, but was to the advantage of Peck-Williamson. At the last meeting of the committee it developed that the board had practically no choice in the matter in spite of the protestations in the Berry case.

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the matter in spite of the protestations in the Berry case.
Director Koenig, smarting under some affront from the ring, brought out this fact, when he declared that Peck-Williamson were putting in gas engines inferior to those called for by the committee.
Director Cudmore, who was corresponding with Peck-Williamson regularly while the contracts were in jeopardy, declared that the committee had nothing to say about it. He held that no particular gas engine was specified in the contract. Then Chairman Kisaner insisted that steam engines should be supplied, as they were superior to any other, and, if they were adopted, the best in the market would be obtained by the Board under the specifications. He in turn was assailed by Oudmore, and before the controversy closed it was demonstrated that the Board had practically nothing to say on how Peck-Williamson were to execute their contract.

PREFERS WEDLOCK TO JAIL.

George Atkinson Pawns His Watch for a Marriage License.

a Marriage License.

George Atkinson wrote two letters wednesday that he thinks will get him out of jail. He is locked up on the charge of betraying 15-year-old Mamle Roach.

One letter was to Judge Murphy, asking permission to be allowed an opportunity of making the girl his wife. The other was to Mamle. He assured her of his undying devotion, and all he wanted was an opportunity to wed her. And it was not because he was anxious to get out of jail, but because of his lova.

Mamle was on hand when court opened Thursday, ready for the ceremony. Being only 15, the consent of her mother had to be secured before the license could be obtained. A deputy was dispatched for the mother, and it was arranged that the ceremony should be performed by Judge Murphy at 2 o'clook Thursday.

Atkinson was financially embarrassed, and was compelled to pawn his watch to raise the money for the license.

The girl disappeared from her home at 3861 Lucky street and was found living with Atkinson at a rooming house dewn town. Atkinson promised to marry her, but when he failed to keep his word, a prosecution was instituted.

MODERN WOODMEN MEETING. Pacific Jurisdiction Matter Will Not Be Taken Up.

The third day's session of the Sovereign Camp, Modern Woodmen of the World, was consumed by eloquent pleas from delegates representing Memphis, Austin and Columbus. They were talking for the next session of the camp.

The question of the Pacific jurisdiction was not touched upon. Officers say the rumors of secession from that quarter are misleading. The Pacific like the Canadian jurisdiction, collects and disburses its own moneys. All it ever did was to pay a small per capita tax to the Sovereign Camp to show that it was a subordinate jurisdiction. They neglected to pay the per capita tax, falled to elect delegates to the Sovereign Camp, but sent instead an official visitor. He was not officially recognized. The jdrisdiction is suspended until the per capita tax is paid up.

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FILED A BLANKET DEED.

Crescent Color Co. Arranges to Secure Creditors.

blanket deed of trust was filed by the Crescent Color Co. Thursday to secure pre-ferred and creditors of the second class. The amount of the deed is about \$15,000.

CLOUDS WILL DEPART.

Indications Are for a Fine Clear Day

If the weather prophet has the right tip Friday will be a fine, bright day, with the Prilay will be a fine, bright day, with the mercury very near the freezing point—probably a triffe above. The miserable clouds of Thursday will all be gone, and people can proceed to enjoy themselyes.

Thursday's weather was abominable. It started out nicely and persuaded every one who didn't look at the indications to leave their gum shoes and umbrellas at home. After it got them down town it turned loose and rained cats and dogs. Half the people got wet and went home at night hoarse and digruntled.

THE MARKETS.

The Government report estimate of the amount of wheat is farmers' hands on March 1-85,000,000 bu—is the smallest of any similar time in recent years, except in 1895, when 75,000,000 bu was the estimate.

The reserves a year ago were 123,000,000 bu. The report estimates that the reserve still in farmers' hands is 20.6 per cent of the crop.

The farm reserves of corn are estimated at 1.164,000,000 bu, which is 51 per cent of the last crop and the largest on record, but it is thought that this is 300,000,000 bu too. But The farm reserves of corn are estimated at 1.072,000 but on year ago were estimated at 1.072,000 but on 1896.

The farm reserves of oats are given at 313,000,000 but on 44.2 per cent of the crop of 1896.

The output of flour from the mills of Minneapolis, Duluth, Milwankee and St. Louis for the week was 344,740 bbls, as compared with \$27,000 bbls last year.

The indications are for clear and mild weather over the most of the winter wheat belt.

The Cincinnati Price Current says: "Excessive moisture retards marketing operations, influence smoisture retards marketing operations. Influence moisture retards marketing operations. Influence and the supplied of the composition of the Oretan probably not preging 185,000 hogs, as compared with 215,000 a year ago."

A London message says the outlook for the peaceful solution of the Oretan problem is still peaceful solution of the Ore

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet and unchanged; futures dull and unchanged. Corn—Spot quiet, steady
and unchanged; futures quiet and steady to %d
lower.
London—Cargoes of wheat arrived off coast, unchanged; on passage, rather easier. Corn cargoes
arrived off coast, quiet; on passage, quiet, but
English country markets quiet, but steady.
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Berlin—Wheat unchanged.
President Henry Langenberg returned Thursday
from Pleasmt Hill, where he had been called by
the death of his mother-in-law.

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Stocks of Grain in St.	Louis El	evators.
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Wheat 636,253	644,699	1,212,702
Corn	2,257,762	1.254.217
Oats		525,281
Rye 26,170		3,063
Barley 3,266		886
No. 2 red winter 231,572		28,675
No. 2 bard winter 199,176	199,178	918,781
No. 2 corn	1,181,900	1,005,615
No. 2 white corn 76,704	72,309	135.787
No. 3 oats 124,128	141,000	158,296
No. 2 white oats 3.850		167,833
No. 2 rye 14,578	14,578	1,468

Regular Cash Market Prices.

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CHICAGO, March 11.-Wheat-March, 71%c n;

OURB MARKETS.

St. Louis, 2:30 p. m.—July wheat, 60%@%c; puts, 66%c; calls, 70%c; Chicago—May wheat, 72%c; puts, 71%c; calls, 78%@%c. Corn—May corn, puts and calls, 24%@%c.

Crescent Color Co. Thursday to secure preferred and creditors of the second class. The amount of the deed is about \$15,000. The claims of the preferred creditors amount to about \$730 and of the others \$14,827.

The deed covers the plant at Third and Cedar streets. Under its terms Henry I. Boardman, the trustee, is to take possession at once and sell the property outright or operate it for the benefit of creditors, at his discretion. The principal preferred at his discretion, \$150.

The heaviest creditors are not preferred. They are the Schroeter Coal Co., \$104; C. H. W. Wellpolt, \$244; J. C. Fink M. M. Co., \$253; National Lead Co., \$131; Mound City Can Co., \$354; Platt & Lambert, \$281; A. B. Ansbacher & Co., \$132; Mound City Can Co., \$354; Platt & Lambert, \$281; A. B. Ansbacher & Co., \$132; Louisville Varnish Co., \$377; Picher Lead Co., \$168; Chemical National Bank, \$160; F. L. Lawanburg, \$124; John W. Dryden, \$3500; S. A. Peters, \$1,000; James Hogan Printing Co., \$760; W. S. Mellen, \$1250; T. Lawanburg, \$124; John W. Dryden, \$3500; S. A. Peters, \$1,000; James Hogan Printing Co., \$760; W. S. Mellen, \$1250; T. S. W. S. Melle

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Receipts, 540 tons; shipments, 401 tons. The market continues quiet, but aready. Quotations: Timothy—Choice, \$9.506210, 75: No. 1, \$8.5062 pc; No. 2, \$1.5062; No. 8, \$60210, 75: No. 1, \$8.5062 pc; No. 2, \$1.5062; No. 8, \$60210, 75: No. 1, \$8.5062 pc; No. 2, \$1.5062; No. 3, \$4.5062 pc; tonsmon to \$7.50 for choice.

STRAW—Choice wheat atraw, \$4.5062 per ton; 7re atraw, \$5.5062.

PROVISIONS.

PORK—The feeling was easier, but prices not ready lower. Little doing. Standard mess pork, \$8.75 per bbl for new and \$8.25 for old per bbl. On orders, 506 per bbl higher.

LARD—Prime ateam, \$1.9064c; choice, \$4.05c.

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SUGAR-CURED HAMS—On orders, 94/211c.
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BERF—Mess, 56.50/27.50 per bhl: dried, 9/211c.
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SEEDS AND CASTOR BEANS.
GRASS SEEDS—Timethy—Common to fair, 52/2
2.50; prime, \$2.60/22.55; poor selling as low as \$1.50. Clover—Weedy and trashy, \$2.50/23.25; good

2.00; prime, \$2.00mx.to; poor \$2.00mx.to; prime, \$2.00mx.to; poor \$4.50. Clover-Weedy and trash, \$2.50mx.32.25; good to choice, \$5.50mx.60. Red top-Inforior, \$1mx.25; good, \$3mx.50; choice, \$6.50mx.55; fancy, \$10mx.13.25; fanc

none offered. No grade wheat sold at 55c East elevator. The offered age and a steady at 70c for July and 88c bid for May.

Sept. closed at 60c nominal.

The close was quiet and steady at 70c for July and 88c bid for May.

Sept. closed at 60c nominal.

The closing cables were as follows:
Liverpool—Spot wheat steady and unchanged; futures %d lower.

Corn—Spot steady and unchanged; futures %d lower.

Parls—Wheat 5 cms higher; flour, 10615 cms lower.

Berlin—Wheat ¼ mark lower.

The clearances of wheat and flour to-day were equal to 225,000 bu, as compared with 387,000 bu a year ago.

Receipts of wheat at primary points to-day were ago. The shipments were 149,000 bu, as compared with 144,000 bu, as compared with 145,000 bu are ago.

The sample market was dull and easier. The offerings were more liberal, but mostly of medium to lower grades, and buyers were holding off for lower prices, with sellers unwilling to make any great concessions.

Spring wheat was very dull and there were few bids.

L car choice soft suring milling wheat sold at 1000 bunches for new; 75c are concessions.

bids.

1 car choice soft spring milling wheat sold at 80 cents.

No. 3 spring sold at from 77c to 78c and 1 car mixed with oats sold at 77c East side.

After call there was no trading in May wheat for some time, but the market continued steady at 88e bld and 89c asked. July wheat broke, sold down to 70%c, rallied to 70%c and then sold down to 10%c, the weakness being caused by the liquidation and the more pacific tone of the cables in regard to the Eastern situation.

Angust wheat was neglected.

CORN.

There was little trading in this option during the early part of the day, but the market was steady. Receipts were fairly heavy and cables were not oncouraging, but there is a fair cash demand. The Government report sacited very little comment, except that its accuracy is questioned.

Speculative demand and offerings were both.

1 car choice soft spring milling wheat sold at 80c.

TURNIPS-15-430c per dos bunches for lew; 75c by 6 bid 10. Out.

RUTABAGAS—Quiet. Northern bulk, 22c per bu delivered. Os orders, 31 per bbl.

CABRAGOE—Receipts, 3 care; shipments, 1 car.

Market continues dull sad weak. Mobile nominal-by 1 per crate. Sound domestic, 3102/14 per to delivered; Holland seed, 11/2c per 15c.

CAULIFICOWER—33.60 per dos: 187 per crate; Florida, 5129

11.25 per crate; Teorida, 5129

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cake quotable at 3%c for choice; packers, 3%G
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Market steady and unchanged.

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per 100 Hs. Old rope-No. 1, \$1; No. 2, 50e, Old
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BONES-Choice bleached, \$15 per ton; parily
bleached, \$13614; skinny, \$11; yank, \$10611;
slaughter-house stock, \$6.

SCRAP IRON AND METALL-Iron-Wrought,
424c per 100 lb.; heavy cast steel and melleable,
\$74c; store plate, 20c; burnt, 20c. Brass-Light,
\$4. 50; heavy, \$7. Copper, \$8.50; lead, \$2.50; sinc,
\$2.50; pewter, \$7.

COOPERAGE—Flour bbls—Round hoogs, \$2c; flat
boops, 25c; half bbls, 20c; meal bbls, 22c; produce bbls, 19620c; lard tes, \$1; half tes, \$0c;
pork bbls, \$9620c; lard tes, \$1; half tes, \$0c;
pork bbls, \$960c; lard tes, \$1; half tes, \$0c;
pork bbls, \$960c; lard tes, \$1; half tes, \$0c;
SALT—Domestic, 756280c per bbl this side and
70675c East side.

SORGHUM—Dull, Quotable at \$106050c per gal.

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LIVE STOCK. National Stock Yards. NATIVE CATTLE-Receipts, 587. Market

New York-25c discount bid; par asked.
Cincinnati-Par bid; 25c premium asked.
Chicago-25c premium bid; 46c premium asked.
Louisville-50c discount bid; 25c discount asked.
New Orleans-75c discount bid; 50c discount
Discount rates at St. Louis banks steady at 7
per cent call and 5 per cent time loans.
The Nr. Louis bank clearings to-day were \$4,274,483 and the balances \$403.218.

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked
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tional Bank of the Republic.		102 50
rd National Bank	90 00	
Louis National Bank	******	90 00
Louis Trust Co	111111	129 00
s. Valley Trust Co	82 75	
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adway Cable bonds	100 50	*****
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on Depot Ry. bonds	111 00	111 25
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Joe Lead Co	10 25	
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New York Stocks.

Reported by Whitaker & Hodgman, stock and ond brokers. 800 North Fourth street.

ST. LOUIS, March 11.

BANK STATEMENTS. REPORT OF THE CONDITION

National Bank *** Republic

OF ST. LOUIS,

In the State of Missouri, at the close of business, March 9, 1897 2,250 00

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MUST REGISTER **NEXT TUESDAY**

ONLY ONE DAY ON WHICH TO QUALIFY AS A VOTER.

CAMPAIGN FUNDS NEEDED.

Democratic Executive Committee Meeting Developed That There Is Much Work to Be Done.

The only registration day of this cam-paign is next Tuesday, March 16. All voters who did not register prior to the last elec-

Dates of Events Connected With the Spring Election.

Many important details of the campaign rest upon the legal limit of certain action taken by the Board of Election Commission.

plications to crase names, March 26 and 27.
First publication of nominations, March 30.
Posting notices of election, March 31.
Second publication of nominations,
Pleasing 15.

Election day, Tuesday, April 6. Board of Election Commissioners' ass of returns, April 14.

The Choral-Symphony Society.

Owing to Mr. Leo Stern's sudden and severe illness, which prevents his traveling, he will not appear at the Choral Symphony concert to-night. His place will be filled by an admirable St. Louis soprano, Miss Adelaide Kalkmann, who has just returned from a two years' stay in Europe, where she has studied in Paris, Munich, Dresden and London, under the famous teachers, Orgent-Kaula, Striglia, Randesger and Henschel. She is said to have greatly improved her magnificent voice. The programme as rearranged is as follows: 1. Symphony—"Im Walde"J. Raff

CAN'T THROW OUT

CITY COUNSELOR'S RULING ON "PHONY" DELEGATIONS.

AN ADVANTAGE TO NOONAN.

Election Commissioners Held to Be Powerless to Checkmate a Shrewd Move in Politics.

City Counselor Marshal has placed a stumbling block in the way of those who desire to throw out the "dummy" delegations, or rather Mr. Marshall's interpretations, or rather Mr. Marshall's interpreta The only registration day of this campaign is next Tuesday, March 16. All voters who did not register prior to the last election or who have changed their places of residence, even from one house to another in the same precinct, must register on March 16, if they wish to cast their ballots at the Mayoralty election.

Chairman Ed Devoy spoke of the importance of this registration, and of the fact that only one day is set apart for it, at the regular meeting of the Democratic City Executive Committee Wednesday night. He regular meeting of the Democratic City at the committeemen not to lose sight of the vast importance of this work, especially as the Republicans seemed to be wide-awake and alert in looking after naturalization and registration.

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Chairman Devoy replied that the Finance Committee had made no report. David Caruth, treasurer of the Executive Committee, gave the Chairman to understand, by a significant nod, that he had but little gash of Committeeman Taaffe then remarked that this was the first campaign he had engaged in for many years where no money had been raised and no provision made for registration. He thought it was high time the committee was raising a fund to look after this and many other details of the campage of the committeeman Taaffe.

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Chairman many was a several other members say that the Precinct Committeemen a this time. It is well known that the Republicans, with their complete organization, are not not work. In fact, that work is supposed to be the paramount duty of the Precinct Committeemen at this time. It is well known that the Republicans, with their complete organization, are not committee to remain the preparations possible for the registration of voters on Tuesday.

Acting upon the suggestion of Chairman Devoy, the committee voted that when it was said, and the Executive Committeemen say they feel that the Democratic side, as the Dem

JUDGES AND CLERKS.

Names of Democrats and Republicans to Fill Vacancies.

Two hundred and fifty names to fill the vacancies in the list of both Republican and Democratic judges and clerks of elec-

maker of the Board are:

Publication of location of polling places of perimaries, March 13.

Posting notices of registration, March 14.

Registration, March 16.

Canvass of precinct, March 17 and 18.

Primaries for election of delegates to the Circuit Judges are supposed to not said Secretary Saunders of the Election of candidate for House of Delegates, March 20.

Meeting of Board of Registration, March 20.

Meeting of nominations before 5 o'clock p.

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Meeting of Election Commissioners hear application of polling places, March 23.

Publication of polling places, March 24.

The Circuit Judges are supposed to not address DR. B. FRANK TOMLIN,

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KANSAS PAYING OUT.

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Thursday.

"The Circuit Judges are supposed to not assummarily in passing upon these names," said Secretary Saunders of the Election Board. "It is a mere matter of form, any way. The names to fill vacancies do not have to remain appointment of judges are supposed to not address.

THE THEATERS.

KANSAS PAYING OUT.

Mortgage Indebtedness Greatly Reduced in Seven Years.

TOPEKA, Kan., March 11.—The Topeka was on the opening night. It is more laughbas able than "Charley's Aunt," and if every of the reduction in mortgage indebtedness in Kansas during the past seven years, showing a decrease of 45 per cent, or over popular as the organization now at the Century the proprietors will be rich men the Election of variables and the circuit Judges are supposed to not address the Election of the Election o

A THIRD WARD MYSTERY.

Mr. Scherer Thinks There Is a Dark Conspiracy on Foot.

The members of the Third Ward Repubican League Club are exercised over the asurpation of the club name by a hostile The club meets every Saturday crew. The club meets every Saturday night at 902 South Fourteenth street, where it was organized fourteen years ago. President Scherer says it is the only league club in the ward and has a membership of 500.

Some unauthorized person called a meeting of the club for Wednesday night at 1441 Chouteau avenue. Mr. Scherer thinks it is a scheme to swing the prestige of the club for some particular candidate.

Rev. Bradley's Resignation.

Rev. A. I. Bradley's resignation from the pastorate of the Old Orchard Congregational Church was accepted Wednesday evening and he will retire April 15. In a short address he thanked the congregation for its uniform kindness, saying he appreciated the empliment in asking him to remain, but duty called him to other fields. He then asked that his resignation be unanimously accepted. The church's finances were discussed by the trustees and it was agreed to borrow \$350.

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shapes, \$1.75 \$1.19 Salton and Laco qualities. \$1.19 Shoes, \$1.19

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MEN'S MAHOGANY, Ox Blood,
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Joseph Murphy and his company will pre-"Shaun Rhue" at the Fourteenth Street Theater to-night. It is probably the strongest play in Mr. Murphy's repertoire. Business during the engagement has been good. There will be a popular price mati-

With "Chimmie Fadden" at the Olympic, "Too Much Johnson" at the Century and "The Nancy Hanks" at the Fourteenth Street Theater next week, laughter lovers will have plenty of pabulum. The two first mentioned attractions are new to St. Louis, but they come well recommended. "The Nancy Hanks" has been tested and found eminently satisfactory.

The Liliputians are doing their usual big pusiness at the Olympic. The engagement ends Saturday night.

week. The vaudeville bill is strong. Miaco's City Club will come back to

the Standard next week. "South Before the War" will depart after Saturday night's

"The Tornado" will follow the Rossow Midgets at Havlin's. The midgets are rawing big houses.

Jackson School to Be Rebuilt. If the members of the School Roard keep their word, it is more than probable that the Jackson school building will be rebuilt. A large delegation of patrons of the school attended the meeting of the Board and showered the members with buttons and eloquence. They were given assurances that the needs of the Jackson school would be considered before anything elsa.

Total Deaths From the Plague. BOMBAY, March II.—The total number of asses of bubonic plague in this city, up to ate, is 5,022, of which 7,566 proved fatal. In he whole presidency, to date, there have sen 14,856 cases of the plague and 12,304 eaths recorded.

Admiral Von Hollman Resigned. BERLIN, March II.—The Freisinnige Zeit-ung says that the Secretary of the Navy, Vice Admiral von Hollman, has tendered his resignation, but that the Emperor has declined to accept it.

Busy Bee Bargain Day To-Morrow.

in Kansas during the past seven years, showing a decrease of 45 per cent, or over \$105,000,000, since Jan. 1, 1890. The comparison is drawn between the figures of the Federal census of 1890 and reports to the Capital from the registers of deeds of thirty-eight counties, showing the recorded mortgage incebtedness on Jan. 1, 1897.

Careful estimates of the same figures show that only \$40,000,000 of Kansas mortgage debt is held by persons outside the State. Of this \$15,000,000 is held by insurance companies doing business in Kansas and, therefore, but \$25,000,000 to individual foreign creditors as compared with \$85,000,000 in 1890.

"Brown's Bronchial Troches" are widely known as an admirable remedy for Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Coughs and Throat troubles.

JOHNNY FLEW THE COOP. He Had a Fit, but He Didn't Like the Dispensary.

Johnny Roberts, aged 12 years, fell in an epileptic fit at Broadway and Franklin avenue, Wednesday afternoon. A policemar picked him up and sent him to the Dispen-Hope Booth will return to the Hagan next week. Mollie Fuller and Fred Hallen will also be there, and the usual number of new attractions.

The old objection that the house isn't large enough to hold all who want to get in still applies to Hopkins' Grand Operahouse. "The Octoroon" is the drama this moment, leaving the boy sitting, with moment, leaving the boy sitting.

fiend and threw a scare into him to select.

He went out of the operating room for a moment, leaving the boy sitting, with drooping head, in a chair. When he returned the alley door was open. He looked out. Johnny was just turning the corner into Chestnut street at marvelous speed. The policeman did not return with information about Johnny's abode.



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DOUBLE EDGE TO THE FIGHT ON

MANY DOCTORS INVOLVED.

Private Contracts Between Physician and Patients May Come Under

Despite the war being waged upon them by the St. Louis Medical Society and the Academy of Medicine, the Fifty Cent Hospital Associations announce that they are i the field to stay.

the Ethical Ban.

Although several physicians connecte with hospital associations have resigned, none of the contracts have been canceled and the "fifty cent" patients are still being

The fight on the Fifty Cent Hospital Associations promises to be more far reaching

The fight on the Fifty Cent Hospital Associations promises to be more far reaching in its effects than was at first supposed. While the Academy of Medicine simply placed itself on record as opposed to the subscription scheme of furnishing medical treatment the Medical Society is preparing to go further. Though an effort was made to keep the matter secret, it has leaked out that the society is making a searching investigation of all forms of contract used by private practitioners and hospitals in treating other patients.

Though none of those directly connected with the matter will talk, it is known that a committee of the Medical Society is now at work investigating the contract system. The physicians who favored the appointment of this committee argued that if it was against the interest of the profession to treat the Fifty-Cent Hospital Associations members for so much a month, it was equally so to treat other classes of patients by a special agreement whereby the professional rate was lowered in their favor. If the plan of these sticklers for ethics is carried out the resolution against the ticket associations may be amended to include those hospitals which have contracts to care for corporation employes, secret society members and the patients of private physicians.

As nearly every hospital in St. Louis has contracts of this kind there may be interesting developments when the committee makes its report to the Medical Society. Every railroad centering in St. Louis cares for its employee on a plan very similar to that of the so-called Fifty-Cent Associations.

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that of the so-called Fifty-Cent Associations.

A monthly reduction is made from the employes' salaries, in return for which they are treated free of charge at a hospital owned by the company, or a hospital with which the company has a contract. The Missouri Pacific has a hospital of its own, supported by deductions from its employes salaries. St. Mary's Infirmary is under contract to care for the Terminal Co.'s employes, and the Protestant Hospital has a similar contract with the Buriingtone St. Luke's Hospital treats the Missouri Electric Light and Power Co.'s men.

Nearly every large manufacturing plant in St. Louis cares for its sick and injured employes in the same way. In most cases the companies have a contract with a hospital, though in many instances a surgeon is employed at an annual salary. Each of the street railway companies have a surgential, though in many instances a surgeon is employed at an annual salary. Each of the street railway companies have a surgential though in many instances a surgeon is employed at an annual salary. Each of the street railway companies have a surgential that the regular physicial is employed that a manufacturing plant in St. Louis cares for its sick and injured employes of the road vithout the street railway companies have a surgential that the regular physicial is employed at an annual salary. Each of the surgential that the constitute of the surgential that the regular physicial is a time of the surgential that the regular physicial is a surgential to the surgential that the regular physicial is a surgential to the surgential treatment to familiar manufacturing plant in St. Louis cares for its sick and injured to provide the surgential treatment to familiar with the situation can be surgentially the surgential treatment to familiar manufacturing plant in St. Louis cares for its sick and injured to the surgential treatment to familiar with the surgential physicial surgential treatment to familiar with the surgential physicial surgential physicial surgential physicia expressed themselves as opposed to the Fifty Cent Association, they hold that all other forms of contract are equally injurious to the profession.

The committee will not stop at corporation contracts, but will get after physicians who have private contracts with familiar. Those familiar with the situation say that a surprising number of local physicians. the B cast associations are constructed in a construction of the associations.

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